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FORTY-SEVENTH CATALOG

OF

RARE U. S. COINS

TOKENS, CURRENCY

SELECT MATERIAL FROM THE

T. JAMES CLARKE

COLLECTION, JAMESTOWN, N. Y.

Consignment of HARRY PEDERSEN, JR.,
AND OTHER DESIRABLE MATERIAL

TO BE SOLD AT PUBLIC AUCTION

Thurs. Eve., April 19, 1956
Friday Eve., April 20, 1956

IN THE AIR-CONDITIONED "HARTFORD ROOM" OF

The Hotel Statler
Seventh Ave., 32nd-33rd Sts.
New York City, N. Y.

Sale Conducted by

NEW NETHERLANDS COIN COMPANY, INC.

1 WEST 47th STREET NEW YORK 36, N. Y.

LOT NO.	BID	LOT NO.	BID	LOT NO.	BID	LOT NO.	BID	LOT NO.	BID
246	13.00	306	13.00	366	21.00	426	5.50	486	7.00
247	11.50	307	57.50	367	12.50	427	6.00	487	7.00
248	13.50	308	29.00	368	18.00	428	4.50	488	6.00
249	14.00	309	18.00	369	12.50	429	5.00	489	7.50
250	42.50	310	19.00	370	46.00	430	4.50	490	5.00
251	9.50	311	37.50	371	46.00	431	6.00	491	5.00
252	11.00	312	65.00	372	26.00	432	7.00	492	37.50
253	27.00	313	17.00	373	36.00	433	4.50	493	27.00
254	18.00	314	31.00	374	41.00	434	10.50	494	15.00
255	14.00	315	33.00	375	18.00	435	5.00	495	80.00
256	18.00	316	27.00	376	6.50	436	13.00	496	18.00
257	21.00	317	22.00	377	6.25	437	5.50	497	4.50
258	17.00	318	23.00	378	14.50	438	15.00	498	18.00
259	28.00	319	65.00	379	18.50	439	5.50	499	16.00
260	30.00	320	41.00	380	12.50	440	22.00	500	21.00
261	14.00	321	33.00	381	15.00	441	22.00	501	52.50
262	10.50	322	60.00	382	55.00	442	6.00	502	200.00
263	9.00	323	42.00	383	20.00	443	5.50	503	6.50
264	13.00	324	27.00	384	24.00	444	5.00	504	4.50
265	41.00	325	90.00	385	31.00	445	6.00	505	6.00
266	24.00	326	142.50	386	25.50	446	5.50	506	5.50
267	15.00	327	180.00	387	19.00	447	4.50	507	6.00
268	24.00	328	51.00	388	15.50	448	5.50	508	5.50
269	14.00	329	38.00	389	52.50	449	4.50	509	6.00
270	20.00	330	52.00	390	20.00	450	47.50	510	11.00
271	22.00	331	77.50	391	16.00	451	4.50	511	16.00
272	39.00	332	92.50	392	90.00	452	4.50	512	15.00
273	46.00	333	32.50	393	21.00	453	7.00	513	7.00
274	53.00	334	15.00	394	13.00	454	11.50	514	5.50
275	43.00	335	16.00	395	18.00	455	5.00	515	14.00
276	28.00	336	36.00	396	17.00	456	7.50	516	6.50
277	29.00	337	77.50	397	8.00	457	8.50	517	5.00
278	41.00	338	49.00	398	23.00	458	5.00	518	6.00
279	41.00	339	55.00	399	15.00	459	4.50	519	7.00
280	37.00	340	52.50	400	8.00	460	5.50	520	5.50
281	32.00	341	36.00	401	26.00	461	5.50	521	5.00
282	260.00	342	23.50	402	25.00	462	10.00	522	5.00
283	10.50	343	27.00	403	22.50	463	8.00	523	5.00
284	41.00	344	32.00	404	18.00	464	37.50	524	7.00
285	19.00	345	20.50	405	25.00	465	33.00	525	5.00
286	26.00	346	19.00	406	26.00	466	18.00	526	8.00
287	79.00	347	33.00	407	19.00	467	21.00	527	5.50
288	14.00	348	57.50	408	24.00	468	7.00	528	9.50
289	26.50	349	75.00	409	64.00	469	8.50	529	4.00
290	21.00	350	72.50	410	15.00	470	8.50	530	5.50
291	18.00	351	22.00	411	22.00	471	5.00	531	8.00
292	13.50	352	18.00	412	23.00	472	5.50	532	7.50
293	45.00	353	24.00	413	24.00	473	6.00	533	9.50
294	39.00	354	16.00	414	19.00	474	5.00	534	4.50
295	24.00	355	13.00	415	21.00	475	3.75	535	41.00
296	17.00	356	36.00	416	19.00	476	5.00	536	4.50
297	30.00	357	27.00	417	19.00	477	10.00	537	7.00
298	32.00	358	72.50	418	48.00	478	26.00	538	6.00
299	40.00	359	6.75	419	59.00	479	5.50	539	5.50
300	28.00	360	6.50	420	230.00	480	7.00	540	8.50
301	20.00	361	7.50	421	225.00	481	5.00	541	5.50
302	38.00	362	9.00	422	310.00	482	32.50	542	7.50
303	32.00	363	36.00	423	6.00	483	11.50	543	5.50
304	31.00	364	10.00	424	6.00	484	21.00	544	7.00
305	26.00	365	36.00	425	10.00	485	7.00	545	40.00

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546	36.00	605	7.00	664	15.00	723	40.00	782	11.00
547	75.00	606	52.50	665	13.00	724	40.00	783	12.00
548	7.00	607	6.50	666	20.00	725	40.00	784	11.00
549	7.00	608	7.00	667	15.50	726	41.00	785	11.00
550	10.50	609	5.50	668	16.50	727	40.00	786	10.00
551	18.00	610	7.00	669	31.00	728	48.00	787	10.50
552	10.50	611	6.00	670	28.00	729	40.00	788	11.50
553	8.00	612	6.50	671	13.50	730	40.00	789	10.50
554	6.50	613	7.00	672	4.00	731	40.00	790	10.50
555	8.50	614	5.50	673	19.00	732	40.00	791	11.50
556	12.00	615	8.50	674	21.00	733	41.00	792	10.00
557	7.00	616	8.50	675	17.00	734	40.00	793	10.00
558	7.50	617	7.00	676	40.00	735	40.00	794	10.50
559	8.00	618	9.50	677	21.00	736	40.00	795	14.00
560	8.50	619	9.50	678	15.00	737	46.00	796	14.00
561	7.50	620	8.50	679	12.50	738	45.00	797	9.75
562	6.00	621	8.00	680	19.00	739	41.00	798	9.50
563	8.00	622	5.00	681	17.00	740	40.00	799	11.50
564	7.00	623	6.00	682	16.00	741	42.00	800	9.00
565	10.50	624	5.50	683	200.00	742	40.00	801	8.00
566	7.50	625	7.50	684	125.00	743	47.00	802	16.00
567	6.50	626	12.50	685	45.00	744	47.00	803	9.00
568	7.00	627	6.00	686	52.50	745	40.00	804	9.00
569	5.00	628	23.00	687	80.00	746	42.50	805	7.50
570	10.50	629	5.00	688	26.00	747	21.00	806	4.25
571	7.00	630	5.00	689	51.00	748	20.00	807	5.00
572	77.50	631	5.00	690	92.50	749	20.00	808	3.75
573	12.50	632	5.50	691	100.00	750	20.00	809	9.00
574	13.00	633	6.50	692	3.75	751	21.00	810	-
575	10.00	634	10.50	693	4.00	752	21.00	811	16.00
576	10.00	635	7.50	694	4.00	753	21.00	812	6.00
577	14.50	636	6.00	695	4.00	754	20.00	813	4.50
578	32.00	637	11.00	696	7.00	755	20.00	814	3.25
579	6.00	638	8.00	697	5.00	756	21.00	815	4.00
580	6.50	639	10.00	698	5.00	757	20.00	816	20.00
581	7.50	640	20.00	699	7.00	758	24.00	817	40.00
582	7.50	641	7.00	700	950.00	759	20.00	818	10.00
583	30.00	642	11.50	701	3000.00	760	11.00	819	10.00
584	8.50	643	12.00	702	875.00	761	21.00	820	21.00
585	9.00	644	10.50	703	975.00	762	18.00	821	42.00
586	9.00	645	48.00	704	675.00	763	19.00	822	19.00
587	9.00	646	11.50	705	915.00	764	9.50	823	21.00
588	11.00	647	4.00	706	875.00	765	11.00	824	20.00
589	10.25	648	18.00	707	17.50	766	10.00	825	12.00
590	8.50	649	16.50	708	120.00	767	22.00	826	8.50
591	9.00	650	16.00	709	90.00	768	28.00	827	8.00
592	4.50	651	8.00	710	10.50	769	32.00	828	15.00
593	9.00	652	13.00	711	8.50	770	29.00	829	7.50
594	13.00	653	15.00	712	7.50	771	23.00	830	31.00
595	8.00	654	13.00	713	11.00	772	29.00	831	15.00
596	5.50	655	5.00	714	13.00	773	25.00	832	13.00
597	5.00	656	11.50	715	130.00	774	41.00	833	9.50
598	8.00	657	15.50	716	42.00	775	39.00	834	5.75
599	5.50	658	15.50	717	43.00	776	36.00	835	8.00
600	4.50	659	17.00	718	40.00	777	36.00	836	8.50
601	6.50	660	14.50	719	40.00	778	41.00	837	9.50
602	6.00	661	80.00	720	41.00	779	45.00	838	5.00
603	14.00	662	22.00	721	40.00	780	11.00	839	8.00
604	8.50	663	77.50	722	40.00	781	11.00	840	30.00

T. James Clarke

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841	50.00	901	13.00	961	8.00	1021	14.00	1081	45.00
842	8.00	902	55.00	962	34.00	1022	12.00	1082	11.00
843	5.50	903	10.00	963	12.00	1023	8.00	1083	18.00
844	6.00	904	27.00	964	12.50	1024	13.00	1084	11.00
845	13.00	905	25.00	965	19.00	1025	8.00	1085	8.50
846	7.50	906	11.00	966	16.00	1026	9.00	1086	21.00
847	4.00	907	24.00	967	7.50	1027	11.00	1087	6.50
848	5.25	908	15.00	968	24.00	1028	5.50	1088	24.00
849	5.00	909	14.50	969	110.00	1029	7.50	1089	33.00
850	87.50	910	6.50	970	11.00	1030	9.00	1090	27.00
851	40.00	911	9.50	971	12.00	1031	8.00	1091	17.50
852	81.00	912	25.00	972	11.00	1032	7.50	1092	15.00
853	102.50	913	7.50	973	16.00	1033	12.50	1093	21.00
854	169.00	914	31.00	974	7.00	1034	12.00	1094	17.50
855	9.00	915	40.00	975	15.00	1035	16.00	1095	25.00
856	12.00	916	13.00	976	8.00	1036	6.50	1096	11.50
857	18.00	917	11.50	977	26.00	1037	16.00	1097	27.00
858	11.00	918	10.50	978	5.00	1038	14.50	1098	24.00
859	25.00	919	18.00	979	50.00	1039	20.00	1099	15.00
860	13.00	920	12.00	980	11.00	1040	14.50	1100	19.00
861	7.50	921	21.00	981	17.00	1041	9.00	1101	7.50
862	9.00	922	20.00	982	12.50	1042	13.00	1102	10.00
863	9.00	923	8.00	983	16.00	1043	6.50	1103	18.00
864	12.00	924	15.00	984	14.50	1044	10.00	1104	50.00
865	14.00	925	14.50	985	8.50	1045	5.50	1105	22.00
866	22.00	926	14.00	986	15.00	1046	7.00	1106	24.00
867	9.00	927	9.50	987	9.00	1047	8.00	1107	32.00
868	12.00	928	21.00	988	4.00	1048	8.00	1108	22.00
869	28.00	929	20.00	989	7.00	1049	6.00	1109	34.00
870	11.50	930	10.00	990	9.50	1050	5.00	1110	30.00
871	27.00	931	7.00	991	8.00	1051	10.00	1111	6.50
872	14.00	932	11.50	992	16.00	1052	14.00	1112	40.00
873	20.00	933	12.00	993	16.50	1053	24.00	1113	6.50
874	18.00	934	8.50	994	8.00	1054	12.00	1114	26.00
875	25.00	935	44.00	995	11.50	1055	9.50	1115	26.00
876	8.00	936	20.00	996	12.50	1056	22.00	1116	9.50
877	7.00	937	21.00	997	12.50	1057	6.00	1117	10.00
878	9.00	938	19.00	998	10.00	1058	10.00	1118	25.00
879	12.50	939	28.00	999	10.50	1059	12.00	1119	18.00
880	5.50	940	21.00	1000	13.00	1060	9.50	1120	13.00
881	11.00	941	25.00	1001	37.00	1061	9.00	1121	13.00
882	38.00	942	33.00	1002	11.50	1062	8.50	1122	11.00
883	9.50	943	16.00	1003	5.50	1063	10.50	1123	14.00
884	8.00	944	10.00	1004	17.00	1064	6.00	1124	92.50
885	8.00	945	13.00	1005	9.00	1065	15.00	1125	12.00
886	7.50	946	16.00	1006	9.00	1066	50.00	1126	16.00
887	7.00	947	14.00	1007	5.00	1067	35.00	1127	25.00
888	45.00	948	85.00	1008	5.50	1068	23.00	1128	57.00
889	13.00	949	13.50	1009	44.00	1069	13.00	1129	10.00
890	20.00	950	11.00	1010	16.00	1070	7.50	1130	39.00
891	6.00	951	9.50	1011	17.00	1071	13.50	1131	8.00
892	9.50	952	15.00	1012	21.00	1072	15.00	1132	16.00
893	12.00	953	10.00	1013	13.00	1073	15.50	1133	8.50
894	8.00	954	9.00	1014	5.50	1074	14.00	1134	13.00
895	7.50	955	11.00	1015	7.00	1075	3.50	1135	9.50
896	10.00	956	9.50	1016	11.00	1076	9.00	1136	12.00
897	8.00	957	10.50	1017	34.00	1077	7.00	1137	62.00
898	12.50	958	16.00	1018	20.50	1078	6.50	1138	10.00
899	40.00	959	10.50	1019	10.00	1079	35.00	1139	16.00
900	42.50	960	42.50	1020	11.00	1080	31.00	1140	16.50

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1141	17.00	1201	60.00	1261	28.00	1321	11.00	1381	102.5
1142	36.00	1202	52.50	1262	21.00	1322	10.50	1382	70.0
1143	10.00	1203	47.50	1263	12.00	1323	45.00	1383	75.0
1144	10.00	1204	390.00	1264	8.00	1324	11.00	1384	87.5
1145	10.00	1205	45.00	1265	6.00	1325	23.00	1385	75.0
1146	12.00	1206	60.00	1266	7.50	1326	20.00	1386	102.5
1147	9.00	1207	55.00	1267	10.00	1327	23.00	1387	75.0
1148	19.00	1208	85.00	1268	11.50	1328	17.00	1388	90.0
1149	10.00	1209	75.00	1269	9.50	1329	24.00	1389	290.0
1150	17.50	1210	28.00	1270	12.50	1330	26.00	1390	90.0
1151	27.00	1211	55.00	1271	10.00	1331	75.00	1391	50.0
1152	12.00	1212	28.00	1272	13.50	1332	90.00	1392	44.0
1153	28.00	1213	35.00	1273	32.50	1333	85.00	1393	34.0
1154	42.00	1214	19.00	1274	13.50	1334	20.00	1394	27.0
1155	8.00	1215	16.00	1275	18.00	1335	56.00	1395	30.0
1156	21.50	1216	26.00	1276	29.00	1336	9.00	1396	43.0
1157	13.00	1217	38.00	1277	9.50	1337	7.50	1397	31.0
1158	13.50	1218	22.00	1278	16.00	1338	9.50	1398	12.5
1159	15.50	1219	15.00	1279	16.00	1339	11.00	1399	14.0
1160	260.00	1220	8.50	1280	27.00	1340	12.00	1400	21.0
1161	80.00	1221	12.50	1281	42.50	1341	9.00	1401	24.0
1162	45.00	1222	32.00	1282	80.00	1342	775.00	1402	45.0
1163	34.00	1223	15.00	1283	18.00	1343	16.50	1403	15.0
1164	26.00	1224	21.00	1284	18.00	1344	15.00	1404	12.0
1165	32.00	1225	11.00	1285	9.00	1345	21.50	1405	10.5
1166	22.00	1226	15.00	1286	13.00	1346	19.50	1406	135.0
1167	27.00	1227	16.00	1287	35.00	1347	26.00	1407	62.5
1168	26.00	1228	22.00	1288	26.00	1348	23.00	1408	107.5
1169	41.00	1229	16.00	1289	12.50	1349	24.00	1409	25.0
1170	41.00	1230	23.00	1290	41.00	1350	15.00	1410	25.0
1171	31.00	1231	10.00	1291	85.00	1351	51.00	1411	460.0
1172	30.00	1232	11.00	1292	10.00	1352	21.00	1412	75.0
1173	10.00	1233	130.00	1293	9.00	1353	25.00	1413	44.0
1174	12.50	1234	28.00	1294	17.00	1354	28.00	1414	125.0
1175	10.50	1235	14.00	1295	80.00	1355	24.00	1415	105.0
1176	13.00	1236	13.00	1296	31.00	1356	25.00	1416	101.0
1177	13.00	1237	39.00	1297	23.00	1357	12.00	1417	65.0
1178	13.00	1238	9.50	1298	11.00	1358	9.50	1418	60.0
1179	45.00	1239	8.00	1299	8.50	1359	9.50	1419	50.0
1180	10.00	1240	9.50	1300	23.00	1360	9.50	1420	97.50
1181	11.00	1241	10.00	1301	20.00	1361	27.00	1421	102.50
1182	11.00	1242	32.00	1302	6.50	1362	9.00	1422	85.00
1183	9.00	1243	18.00	1303	10.00	1363	25.00	1423	127.50
1184	21.00	1244	21.00	1304	7.00	1364	21.00	1424	320.00
1185	21.00	1245	52.50	1305	12.00	1365	21.00	1425	90.00
1186	38.00	1246	18.00	1306	20.00	1366	35.00	1426	92.50
1187	122.50	1247	16.00	1307	12.00	1367	18.00	1427	49.00
1188	6.00	1248	77.50	1308	13.00	1368	18.00	1428	23.00
1189	13.00	1249	8.50	1309	16.00	1369	26.00	1429	21.00
1190	8.00	1250	16.00	1310	100.00	1370	7.00	1430	850.00
1191	7.00	1251	7.00	1311	9.00	1371	28.00	1431	225.00
1192	1000.00	1252	15.50	1312	10.50	1372	115.00	1432	100.00
1193	330.00	1253	15.00	1313	17.00	1373	110.00	1433	42.00
1194	240.00	1254	11.00	1314	28.00	1374	90.00	1434	60.00
1195	1550.00	1255	10.50	1315	20.00	1375	110.00	1435	52.50
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1198	87.50	1258	16.00	1318	10.50	1378	110.00	1438	95.00
1199	77.50	1259	18.00	1319	10.00	1379	105.00	1439	25.00
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1441	31.00	1496	22.00	1551	8.50	1606	13.00		
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1447	16.00	1502	14.00	1557	900.00	1612	21.00		
1448	47.00	1503	9.50	1558	500.00	1613	9.50		
1449	40.00	1504	33.00	1559	72.50	1614	33.00		
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1452	28.00	1507	9.50	1562	70.00	1617	8.00		
1453	28.00	1508	15.50	1563	33.00	1618	9.00		
1454	31.00	1509	13.00	1564	67.50	1619	12.00		
1455	30.00	1510	23.00	1565	27.50	1620	8.50		
1456	38.00	1511	12.00	1566	18.00	1621	260.00		
1457	102.50	1512	9.50	1567	35.00	1622	225.00		
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1495	11.50	1550	8.00	1605	5.50				

LIST OF PRICES REALIZED
for
FORTY SEVENTH CATALOGUE

April 19-20, 1956

NEW NETHERLANDS COIN CO.,INC.
1 West 47th Street
New York 36, N.Y.

LOT NO.	BID	LOT NO.	BID	LOT NO.	BID	LOT NO.	BID	LOT NO.	BID
1	$67.50	50	17.00	99	20.00	148	19.00	197	40.00
2	170.00	51	18.00	100	33.00	149	45.00	198	35.00
3	97.50	52	28.00	101	25.00	150	40.00	199	45.00
4	102.50	53	22.00	102	65.00	151	112.50	200	38.00
5	80.00	54	8.50	103	37.00	152	42.50	201	53.00
6	195.00	55	4.50	104	45.00	153	70.00	202	36.00
7	75.00	56	6.00	105	42.50	154	25.00	203	40.00
8	280.00	57	24.00	106	42.50	155	157.50	204	36.00
9	47.50	58	31.00	107	28.00	156	57.50	205	7.50
10	42.50	59	22.00	108	52.50	157	20.00	206	12.50
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27	16.00	76	9.00	125	65.00	174	85.00	223	10.50
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33	6.50	82	11.50	131	60.00	180	12.00	229	30.00
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35	17.00	84	9.00	133	10.00	182	21.00	231	30.00
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37	42.00	86	9.00	135	27.00	184	14.00	233	45.00
38	10.00	87	17.50	136	14.00	185	8.50	234	22.00
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43	16.00	92	37.00	141	16.00	190	29.00	239	70.00
44	22.00	93	15.00	142	60.00	191	24.00	240	67.50
45	12.00	94	15.50	143	56.00	192	15.00	241	21.00
46	7.00	95	8.50	144	41.00	193	18.00	242	10.50
47	7.50	96	4.00	145	32.00	194	22.00	243	61.00
48	19.00	97	25.00	146	31.00	195	77.50	244	48.00
49	34.00	98	4.00	147	10.00	196	30.00	245	18.00

T. James Clarke

1880–1952

Truly one of the old timers, T. James Clarke passed away on July 20, 1952, following several weeks of hospitalization and surgery. He lived his seventy-two years to the hilt, enjoying a national reputation both as a successful industrialist and a prolific hobbyist.

Mr. Clarke was born in Campbellford, Ont., Canada. Before establishing himself in Jamestown, N. Y., he obtained considerable business experience in nearby Batavia. Soon after coming to Jamestown, TJC became associated with the Koehl Box Company, becoming Vice President and Superintendent of that firm. In February, 1917, he opened the manufacturing facilities of the T. James Clarke Box and Label Works, still located on Charles Street in Jamestown. Originally employing but two persons, the organization employed over one hundred in 1952. At the time of his death, Mr. Clarke was president and chairman of the board of the company he had founded, as well as vice-president and director of the Furniture Manufacturers Building, director of the Jamestown Telephone Corp., Chautauqua County National Bank and Trust Co., Hotel Jamestown, and McCourt Label Cabinet Co. of Bradford, Pa. In 1951, TJC received the Grand Lodge fifty-year merit Award, presented by Batavia Lodge 475, F. & A.M. In addition to his membership in the Batavia lodge, he was a life member of the Ismailia Temple, Buffalo, a Rotarian, and active in many other fraternal groups.

While generally known as a philatelist and numismatist, Mr. Clarke rode the hobby horse hard in many fields. His collection of antique watches is said to have been one of the finest extant, consisting of almost a thousand choice pieces. At one time or another, he also collected spectacular precious stones, firearms, antique glass and numerous curios of various kinds. His interest in stamps centered about essays and proofs, leading him to a Charter Membership in the Essay Proof Society.

However, numismatics was "Jimmy" Clarke's favorite interest. He commenced collecting almost thirty years ago, eventually becoming a life member of the American Numismatic Association. In 1935-36 he was a popular president of the A.N.A. Among other numismatic organizations, TJC belonged to the New York Numismatic Club, Western Reserve Numismatic Club and the California State Numismatic Association. He married the former Hazel C. Johnson in 1912, and together they enjoyed many A.N.A. Conventions. While Mrs. Clarke acquired a limited interest in coins, she still reminisces about the many good times they both found at Convention and other numismatic get-to-gethers.

TJC had a jovial, highly cheerful and very friendly manner about him. He was rather short, slightly on the stout side, had a florid complexion, and seemed to smoke a pipe constantly. It was his habit to carry a small pearl handled revolver to protect the wealth of jewels, coins, stamps and other valuables that always lined his pockets. A generous and kind man, he quickly presented the cataloger with a superb freak Fugio Cent, admired while last visiting him on a cold and snowy Saturday afternoon in November, 1951. All of his numismatic visitors ended up as his guest in the spacious dining room of the Hotel Jamestown, where the steak was always on TJC.

Jimmy Clarke collected various series in a highly enthusiastic manner. This catalog contains only a small part of his large and extensive holdings. In recent years, we purchased and disposed of privately, his fabulous collection of Massachusetts Silver, which contained the entire (last and finest) Wurtzbach collection intact; his large representation of South American Gold; his Colonial Paper Money volumes, and many other fine, carefully selected numismatic properties. At the present writing, we are disposing of the Encased Postage Stamps on behalf of Mrs. Clarke, consisting of the finest lot ever brought together. A. Kosoff obtained the Clarke collection of Cents by direct purchase, while auctioning off the balance of the Clarke U. S. Paper last November.

A few years before his passing, TJC developed cataracts on both eyes and after their removal could not see details as well as he had, and commenced disposing of some of his coins. A great many of his fine Colonials were disposed of in New York in 1946, together with much other material.

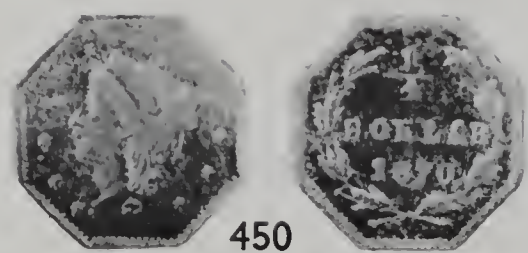
Jimmy loved fine coins, and collected carefully. He took great interest in the display and mounting of many series, having beautiful little boxes made and labeled for a great number of pieces. His black and white coin trays are still manufactured in Jamestown, and constitute a must for the collector with a cabinet.

We should like to dedicate this small catalog to the memory of T. James Clarke. He belonged to that rapidly dwindling army of born collectors, who sought only the best, took meticulous care of what they had, studied and knew their coins, and, most of all, were a pleasure to know.

PLATE I

Small California Gold greatly enlarged.

Actual sizes shown for comparison.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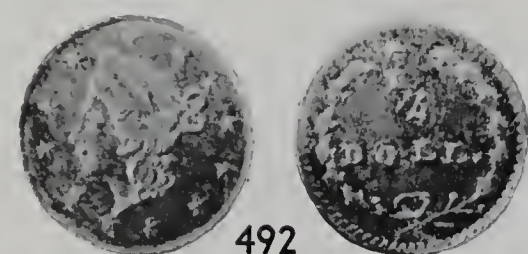
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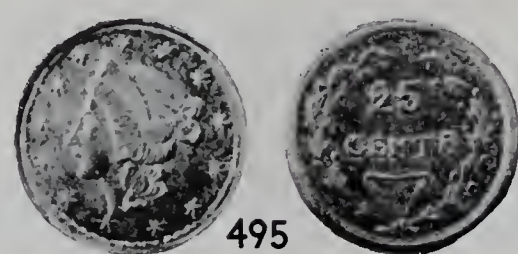
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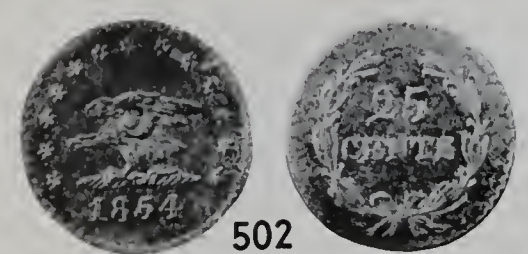
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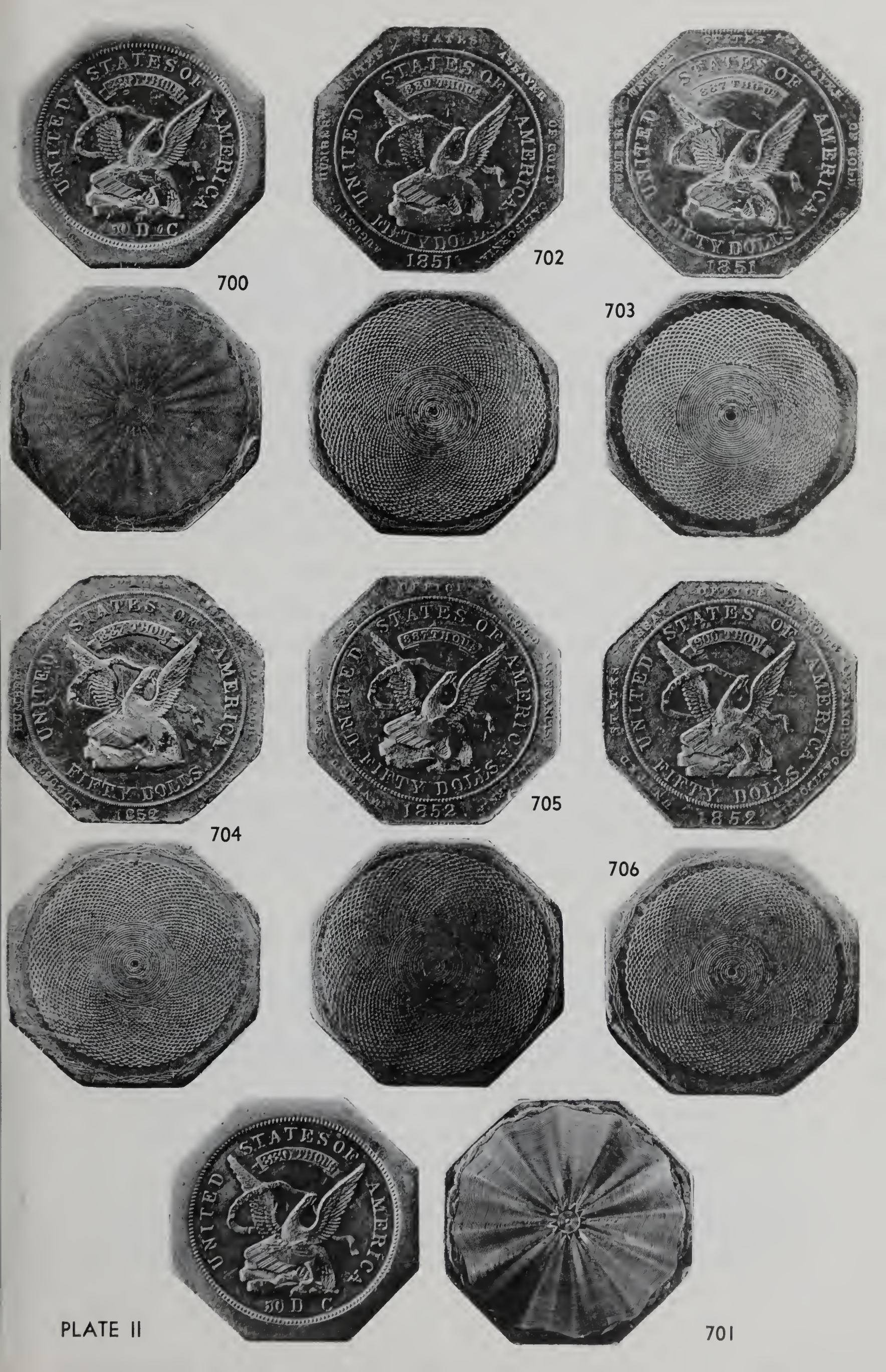
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PLATE II

INFORMATION FOR BIDDERS AND TERMS OF SALE

PLEASE READ CAREFULLY

1. All bids to be PER LOT as numbered in the catalog. **The right is reserved to withdraw any lot prior to sale.**
2. The highest bidder to be the buyer. In instances of identical mail or floor bids, preference is given to the first received. **Bidding advances will be determined solely by the auctioneer, who operates entirely without bias, having no connection whatsoever with the New Netherlands Coin Co., Inc.** Should any disputes arise, Mr. D'Amato's decision is final. **The Auctioneer regulates the bidding, and reserves the right to refuse any bid believed by him not to be made in good faith.**
3. **All material cataloged and sold by us is guaranteed to be authentic in all respects and to be as represented. If in doubt concerning a lot, please do not bid before requesting additional information. No lots may be returned on account of condition grading, if examined by the purchaser prior to the sale.**
4. All bidders must have established credit with the catalogers, or send an advance deposit equal to 25 per cent of their bids. Such deposits will be refunded if bids are unsuccessful. The catalogers reserve the right, even after the submission of references and/or a deposit, to require payment in full prior to delivering lots.
5. Accounts are payable when bills are rendered and must be paid promptly. **Title shall remain with the New Netherlands Coin Co., Inc., until payment in full is received.**
6. **All merchandise delivered in New York City is subject to the New York City Sales Tax of 3% of the gross.**
7. There is no charge for executing bids, and no commission is charged the buyer.
8. Postage and insurance charges will be added to the invoice wherever merchandise is shipped.
9. **Lots will be exhibited Mon., Tues., Wed., April 16, 17, 18, from 9:30 AM to 5:00 PM. On the days of sale, lots will be shown from 9:30 AM to 12:30 PM. Material displayed at our salesroom, 1 West 47th Street, New York City, N. Y.**
10. Prices following listings are estimates of value, and are intended only as accurate guides for bidders. Where estimates are not listed in the catalog, they will be furnished upon request.
11. **A list of Prices Realized will be sent without charge to all bidders. Price Lists and duplicate catalogs are otherwise available at a charge of 50¢ each, postfree.**
12. As our sales are public ones, conducted by a licensed auctioneer, it is necessary that all minors present parental permission to bid before commencement of the sale.
13. **Unlimited or "Buy" bids cannot be accepted.**
14. **The placing of a bid shall constitute acceptance of the foregoing conditions of sale.**

IMPORTANT. When making your bids, please be careful that you are bidding on the very lot you wish, as we cannot be responsible for your errors.

We are well known in the coin business and you may have complete confidence in us. We can only advise you to bid liberally if you wish to be successful. WE WILL PURCHASE FOR YOU BELOW YOUR LIMIT BID IF OTHER BIDS RECEIVED PERMIT.

Material sold at this sale, April 19-20, 1956, will not be delivered at the Hotel Statler, but at our salesroom, 1 West 47th Street, New York City, N. Y., on Saturday, April 21, 1956.

NEW NETHERLANDS COIN CO., Inc.

1 WEST 47th STREET NEW YORK 36, N. Y.

BID SHEET

Date:
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Dep.	No.

New Netherlands Coin Co., Inc.,

1 West 47th St., New York 36, N. Y.

Gentlemen:

Kindly execute the following bids for your sale APRIL 19-20, 1956. My bids are at so much per lot. I agree to remit promptly for any lots purchased for my account.

Name.....

Address.....

No.	BID.		No.	BID.		No.	BID.	
	$	¢		$	¢		$	¢

NOTICE: All bidders unknown to us, who have not established credit, must either send us a deposit of 25% of their bids or first-class references, otherwise bids will not be executed.

See Other Side of This Sheet

No.	BID.		No.	BID.		No.	BID.	
	$	¢		$	¢		$	¢

REFERENCES (If you have bought in our previous sales, it is unnecessary to send references.)

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SALE NUMBER 47

TO BE SOLD AT

PUBLIC AUCTION SALE

THURSDAY EVENING, APRIL 19, 1956

FROM THE T. JAMES CLARKE COLLECTION

LARGE AND SMALL SIZE U. S. CURRENCY

DEMAND, LEGAL TENDER, COMPOUND INTEREST & OTHER NOTES

featuring

A SPLENDID OFFERING OF NATIONAL BANK BILLS

263 LOTS OF THE FIRST CHARTER PERIOD; 41 "LAZY TWO'S" ALONE!

plus

SMALL CALIFORNIA GOLD COINS GALORE

EXPERTLY ATTRIBUTED TO LEE & BURNIE; EX. RARE UNPUBLISHED ITEMS INCLUDED

and

SEVEN CALIFORNIA FIFTY DOLLAR GOLD PIECES

THE UNIQUE HUMBERT VARIETY WITH RAYS FROM CENTRAL STAR;
Several Pioneer Patterns & Miscellany Added.

U. S. GOLD COINS; FRACTIONAL AND U. S. CURRENCY;
AN ELIZABETH, N. J. CONS.

FRIDAY EVENING, APRIL 20, 1956

A COLLECTION OF UNITED STATES COINS

THE PROPERTY OF HARRY C. PEDERSEN, JR., SYOSSET, N. Y.
Choice L. & Small Cents; Minor Coins; Silver; Commemoratives; Gold; Late Proof Sets

and

FROM THE CLARKE ESTATE
(With A Few Additions)

CHOICE U. S. HALF DOLLARS

1794, 95 (2) UNC. A REMARKABLE 1796 15 STARS, 1797;
1801, 02, 03, 05/4, 06/5, 06/9, 15, 22/1, 27/26, 32 L.L.
All in Splendid Preservation.
1836 50 Over 00 C., 1844 "O" Double Date, CSA 1861 "O",
A Semi-Proof 1878 "S" Half.

TWO PARTIAL & TWENTY-FOUR COMPLETE PROOF SETS, 1890-1951

UNUSUAL OFFERING OF THE 1907 COINAGE

RARE AND CHOICE U. S. GOLD COINS INCLUDING A 1933 EAGLE

SELECT U. S. QUARTERS

1796, 1804, 06/5, 06, 07, 18/15 UNC., 1828 & '31 PROOF

BEAUTIFUL EARLY DIMES AND H. DIMES

UNIQUE 1796 10¢; '97 16 STARS, 1809, 22 UNC. 1837, 39 PROOF DIMES:
1794, 95, 96/5, 97 16 STARS, 1800 (BOTH) H. DIMES, ALL UNCIRCULATED.
Numismatic Books, Tokens, Continental Currency, Obsolete Sheets, So-Called Dollars, etc.

Each Evening, Promptly at 6:30 o'clock P.M.

DONALD D'AMATO, *Auctioneer*

In the **AIR-CONDITIONED** "Hartford Room" of

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CHARLES M. WORMSER, Pres. JOHN J. FORD, JR., Associate

FIRST SESSION

Lots 1 to 836

THURSDAY EVENING, APRIL 19, 1956

PROMPTLY AT 6:30 P.M.

Selected Material Consigned by Mrs. Hazel Clarke, Jamestown, N. Y.

UNITED STATES CURRENCY

Demand Notes

These are all dated August 10, 1861. They were issued prior to April 1, 1862, and are payable at New York, Philadelphia, Boston, St. Louis and Cincinnati. Demand Notes are the only series lacking the seal of the United States Treasury. Many heretofore unnoticed "types" and varieties exist, some of them extremely rare. All Demand Notes are at least very rare, and are just not available in top condition.

1 **$5.** Payable at **New York.** SERIES 9. Small "for the." Serial No. 85924. Very Good; better than most.

2 $5. Another. SERIES 10. No. 66155. Just about Very Fine. Of decided rarity so, listing at (and worth) $100. in the '54 Raymond "Standard Paper Money Catalogue, Part II."

3 **$10.** Payable at **New York.** SERIES 6. No. 91197. Abt. V. Good; several pin holes; mended (with stamp hinges) in three spots upon the reverse border. Also, very slightly torn at the l. end. Complete, comparatively clean, and better than our description.

4 **$5.** Payable at **Philadelphia.** SERIES 7. Small "for the." No. 79703. Close to V. Fine; few tiny pin holes at c. Not quite as bright as lot 2 above, although a very superior note.

5 $5. Similar. SERIES 14. Large "for the." No. 26033. About Fine. Allegedly rarer than the last, and nicer than many seen.

6 **$10.** Payable at **Philadelphia.** SERIES 5. No. 64177. Fine for the note. While slightly soiled (upon the reverse), free from mends or repairs, tears, or numerous pin holes. Valued by Friedberg at $250. so, and, in our opinion, almost worth it.

7 **$5.** Payable at **Boston.** SERIES 6. Small "for the." No. 15346. Partially torn and mended at the top of the c. crease; stained twice upon the obv., the largest stain having "flaked through" at top centre. In addition, this note shows soiling at the r. end together with several large pin holes. Still, in spite of these and other defects, it presents a rather clean appearance, and could be called Very Good. Scarcer than either New York or Philadelphia.

8 **$10.** Payable at **Boston.** SERIES 4. No. 88088. Strictly Fine. A clean and remarkable example of this rarity, almost impossible to locate in better condition. Worth a good price.

Legal Tender Notes

First issue, by Act of Congress, February 25, 1862, dated March 10, 1862. The Second issue, by Act of Congress, July 11, 1862, dated August 1, 1862. The Third issue, by Act of Congress, March 3, 1863, dated March 10, 1863. The First issue is found with both "First Obligation" and "Second Obligation" reverses, while the Third issue exists in various "types," many of them as yet unpublished.

9 **$5.** First issue, **March 10, 1862. First obligation,** convertible in 6% bonds. Chittenden & Spinner. Red seal. Abt. Unc. Crinkled at the r. end, perhaps during manufacture. Seal weak; rest of note bright and vivid. Listed to $65. New.

10 **$10. 1862. First obligation.** Similar. Fine to Very Fine; attractive. Worth to $35. so.

11 **$20. 1862. First obligation.** Similar; printed by the AMERICAN BANK NOTE CO. Low No. 1021. Abt. Very Fine. Fairly heavy centre crease; seal weak, as on the last and so many of these. Lists at $100. VF as Friedberg 124.

12 **$20.** First issue, **March 10, 1862. Second obligation,** the "unconvertible" note. Like the preceding; printed by both the NATIONAL BANK NOTE COMPANY and AMERICAN BANK NOTE CO. (below tablet at c.). Not quite V. Fine; paper aged in appearance, tiny piece missing at l. end. Very rare, valued by Friedberg at $150. VF.

13 **$1.** Second issue, **August 1, 1862.** Without ABN Co. Chittenden & Spinner. Red seal. Extra low No. 380. Choice, crisp Unc. In great demand.

14 $1. Another. Low No. 852. Unc. Not quite the equal of the last. Bringing $35.00.

15 **$2. 1862.** Similar. SERIES 152. Just about fully crisp and perfect. V. Scarce.

16 $2. Another. SERIES 165. Choice Unc., a mate to the above. Valued to $75. today.

17 **$5.** Third issue, **March 10, 1863.** Chittenden & Spinner. Red seal. Single small No. at upper right; olive green on obv. Printed by both the AMERICAN BANK NOTE CO. and NATIONAL BANK NOTE COMPANY. Choice Unc.

18 $5. Another. Seal a deep red color. Just about Uncirculated; unimportant evidence of "counting" at r. end.

19 $5. Similar. Single large No. at upper right; deep green on obv. Printed by the AMERICAN BANK NOTE CO. (twice on obv., under signatures). Crisp Unc., faintest indications of age. Said to be scarcer than the last two.

20 **$20. 1863.** Similar. Type with double serial Nos. (upper right c., lower l. margin). While this note has never seen circulation, the right end shows indications of handling, and the very tip of the lower l. corner is missing. Valued by Friedberg at $150. Unc. A lot that should be seen.

NATIONAL BANK NOTES

Under the terms of the National Banking Act of 1863, all banks having charters from the Government were permitted to issue notes up to 90% of the par value of the U.S. Bonds they deposited with the Treasurer of the U.S. The notes for all banks were of the same general design, the only difference being the name and address of the bank, the date upon the note, the charter number, and the signatures of the President and Cashier of the bank. Each bank had its own charter number, which appeared upon all its notes (with of course exceptions). Charters were good for twenty years, and at the end of that time were renewable. The issues of the First and Second Charter periods had a vignette in an oval on the left side of the reverse, indicating the state or territory of issue.

The First Charter Period was by Act of Congress, Feb. 25, 1863 and June 3, 1864. Although the first charters were granted to National Banks in June, 1863, the earliest banknotes were dated and issued Nov. 2, 1863. The last charter granted of the First Charter Period was Nov. 2, 1883, and the latest dated note of that period was Jan. 23, 1896. The Second Charter Period was comprised of the Series of 1882, and by an Act of Congress May 30, 1908, the Series of 1908. The Third Charter Period included the Series of 1902 and 1908. The earliest date observed on a Second Charter Period "brownback" is Feb. 25, 1883, and the latest Nov. 16, 1907.

National Bank notes, as a series, have been rather neglected by collectors. Numerous unknown and unnoticed "types" appear in the First and Second Charter Period notes, some of which are mentioned in the following lots. We would like to suggest that collectors give their full attention to the Treasury Signature combinations (particularly of the later periods), as well as to many of the variety designations presented. This offering from the Clarke collection is one of the largest in years, and should prompt serious competition.

FIRST CHARTER PERIOD

21 **$10.** July 28, **1864. Chittenden & Spinner.** S. Red (Rays) seal. No Charter No. FIRST NB OF NEWTON, **Mass.** Strictly Fine. Rare, and very much underrated.

$1. Notes — Colby & Spinner
Small Red (Rays) Seal

Without Charter Number — Treasury Number in Red

On page 471 (Part VI) of the celebrated Grinnell sale catalog (1946), dealer Bluestone made the following observation concerning First Charter NB notes without Charter Numbers. "These first issues without charter numbers are all exceedingly difficult to obtain and most of them are considered very rare and desirable in any condition." Mr. Clarke made it a point to obtain these interesting items, many of which should attract generous bids.

22 **Connecticut.** Jan. 17, **1865.** PHOENIX NB OF HARTFORD. **Illinois.** July 1, 1865. FIRST NB OF KNOXVILLE. Jan 2, 1865. THIRD NB OF CHICAGO. V. Fair to Good. 3 Pcs.

23 Jan. 2, 1865. FIFTH NB OF CHICAGO. Abt. Very Good. A $10. note today!

24 **Indiana.** Jan. 17, 1865. FIRST NB OF AURORA. Jan. 2, 1865. FIRST NB OF FORT WAYNE. V. Good; tiny tear at r. margin, and Very Fair. 2 Pcs.

25 July 1, 1865. FIRST NB OF NEW ALBANY. Fine; trimmed close towards the r. end. Mr. Clarke paid $11.50 for this note many years ago.

26 **Maine.** July 1, 1865. BUCKSPORT NB. Very Good. Cleaner than most.

27 **Massachusetts.** Jan. 17, 1865. BLUE HILL NB OF DORCHESTER. SN 2884; TN 890914, Plate Letter B. Fine or better; cut close. Ex Grinnell, lot 4094 ($15.00).

28 Same; Plate Letter C (from the same sheet). Extremely Fine. Brighter and cleaner than the last; trimmed rather close also. A rare item in really rare preservation.

SN as abbreviated in lot 27 indicates "Serial" number; TN "Treasury" number. What we call the "Serial" number in this catalog is technically the "Bank number," representing an accumulating total of similar sheets of a particular denomination or combination of denominations, issued by a particular bank. The "Treasury" number represents an accumulating total for control purposes, of sheets generally printed from a four-subject plate for each particular denomination (or combination) issued by all banks. Each note on a sheet bore the same Bank (or Serial) number and the same Treasury number respectively, this practice known as repeat numbering. For a full explanation of these terms, the composition of various early NBN

sheets, and other very important information, we refer the student to "National Bank Notes in the Early Years," by our good friend William H. Dillistin. See "The Numismatist" for December, 1948, Vol. LXI, No. 12.

29 Jan. 2, 1865. BOSTON NB. Jan. 17, 1865. NB OF NORTH AMERICA. Both of Boston. V. Fair to Good. Last interesting. 2 Pcs.

30 Jan. 17, 1865. DEDHAM NB OF DEDHAM. Large Serial No. Strictly Fine.

31 Another. Small Serial No. Fine; unimportant obverse defacement; not quite as nice as the last. Both of these at least equal the Grinnell specimen.

32 July 1, 1865. FIRST NB OF CHICOPEE. Better than V. Fine, although creased somewhat noticeably. Neatly centered and quite attractive.

33 Jan. 2, 1865. FIRST NB OF EASTON. Strictly Good; claims to V. Good. Only one seen.

34 Jan. 2, 1865. FIRST NB OF FALL RIVER. Very Good plus; unimportant pencil mark on either side.

35 Jan. 2, 1865. FIRST NB OF WORCESTER. Serial No. 111. Not quite V. Fine. Ex Grinnell, lot 4242 (valued at $20.00).

36 Aug. 1, 1865. HAMPDEN NB OF WESTFIELD. V. Good. Appears almost Fine, but weak at a horizontal c. crease. Very rare.

37 Jan. 2, 1865. HAMPSHIRE COUNTY NB, Northampton. **Serial No. 1.** Very wide margin at top inscribed and signed by L(uther) Bodman (President). "This sheet is the first issue, and the first sheet signed of Small Bills of the Hampshire County National Bank of Northampton." Rev. "Luther Bodman / Valuable." Just about Unc., folded at the top (between note and margin). Highly valued by T. J. Clarke, who obtained it as lot 1563 in the Grinnell sale, where it was "Nice clean crisp, Unc." An excellent display item.

38 July 1, 1865. HOUSATONIC NB OF STOCKBRIDGE. Jan. 2, 1865. FIRST NB OF SPRINGFIELD. Abt. Fine and Fair, the first undoubtedly lot 4227 of the Grinnell sale. 2 Pcs.

39 July 1, 1865. NB OF BRIGHTON. Fine. Trimmed rather close.

40 July 1, 1865. NATIONAL EAGLE BANK, Boston. Strictly Very Fine; a nice item, evenly centered and free from flaws or pin holes. Valued to $25.00.

This is the only bank on which an attempt was made to counterfeit One Dollar notes, the fakes being photographic replicas of the Series of 1875.

41 July 1, 1865. NATIONAL MAHAIWE BANK OF GREAT BARRINGTON. Fine; visibly creased horizontally across the rev. Another rare New England note.

42 Jan. 17, 1865. NATIONAL ROCKLAND BANK OF ROXBURY. Almost V. Good. Few minor flaws; soiled mainly upon the rev. Really rare, like almost all of these.

43 Jan. 17, 1865. TREMONT NB, Boston. SN 5193; TN 942258. V. Fine plus; trimmed close, slight soiling at the r. end of the obv. Grinnell 4063.

44 Another. Later serial 19711; TN C461545). Somewhat superior to the last. It should be remembered that Raymond values these (with or without Charter Nos.) at $20. Fine.

Both of the last are pen signed by Ann T. Hall, female President of the Tremont Bank.

45 Jan. 2, 1865. WORCESTER NB. Also close to VF; tiny tear at the c. of the bottom margin. Evenly centered and clean looking.

46 **Michigan.** Nov. 1, 1865. MERCHANTS NB OF EAST SAGINAW. Jan. 2, 1865. FIRST NB OF KALAMAZOO. First a desirable V. Good and really rare; last Poor. 2 Pcs.

47 **New Hampshire.** Jan. 2, 1865. FIRST NB OF FRANCETOWN. Serial No. 49. V. Good. Very rare.

48 July 1, 1865. NATIONAL GRANITE STATE BANK OF EXETER. Fine plus; tiny tip of upper l. corner off, hinge repair at top rev. c. Ex Grinnell, lot 4099 ($14.00). "A very rare New Hampshire item."

49 **New Jersey.** Jan. 2, 1865. FIRST NB OF JERSEY CITY. Close to Very Fine.

50 July 1, 1865. MECHANICS NB OF NEWARK. Very Good. Clean and desirable, but showing evidence of heavy creasing upon the rev. Brought $12.50 in the Grinnell sale ten years ago.

51 **New York.** Jan. 2, 1865. FARMERS AND MECHANICS NB OF BUFFALO. Very Fine; pin holes about the perimeter. Interesting signature of Jenkins, the cashier. Grinnell's was nearly severed.

52 July 1, 1865. GENEVA NB. About Ex. Fine. This was lot 2227 in the Grinnell sale, where it was estimated at $20.00. Unusually nice.

53 July 1, 1865. QUASSAICK NB OF NEWBURGH. Strictly Very Fine. Lot 2366 of the Grinnell sale.

54 **Ohio.** Jan. 2, 1865. SECOND NB OF RAVENNA. Without cashier or president's signature. Fully Very Good. See lot 4212 Grinnell, where this item is called RR.

55 **Pennsylvania.** July 1, 1865. FIRST NB OF CLARION. Good plus; slightly impaired.

The Grinnell specimen was also Good, and described as very rare.

56 Jan. 2, 1865. FIRST NB OF COLUMBIA. Very Good, some claims to Fine; small piece of the upper l. hand corner torn off. Said to have cost $10.00.

57 **May 1, 1866.** NB OF THE REPUBLIC OF PHILADELPHIA. Close to Fine. A very rare date, completely ignored by both Raymond and Friedberg. Well worthy of a good price.

Both "authorities" list the $5. Colby & Spinner notes of 1864, 65 and 1866, but for some strange reason neglect the $1. denomination. In this connection cataloger Bluestone was apparently confused in his organization of the Grinnell collection. Under lot 1567 he lists a $1. note of Minneapolis, Minn. dated May 1, 1866 and states "As far as can be determined this is the only note of this denomination bearing this date." Further on, he describes the above lot (perhaps the very bill) as number 4184.

58 Jan. 2, 1865. THIRD NB OF PITTSBURGH. Serial No. 191. Strictly Very Fine. Valued at $18. in the Grinnell sale, lot 4188.

59 **Rhode Island.** Aug. 15, 1865. AMERICAN NB OF PROVIDENCE. Printed signatures. Very Fine plus; desirable. A rare and valuable New England note.

60 Nov. 1, 1865. AQUIDNECK NB OF NEWPORT. Very Good plus; three minor "flakings" at cashier's signature (due to the ink). Also RR.

61 Nov. 1, 1865. FIRST NB OF BRISTOL. Very Good. Valued to $15. so.

62 Jan. 2, 1865. FIRST NB OF PROVIDENCE. In appearance V. Good; actually, mended to beat the band.

63 July 1, 1865. GLOBE NB OF PROVIDENCE. This note, like the last, seems V. Good. However, inspection reveals that the bill has been "treated" in its entirety. While such handiwork may hold the item together and be excellent for the Declaration of Independence, Constitution, etc., it gives an overall dullness to the note so doctored.

64 July 1, 1865. MANUFACTURERS NB OF PROVIDENCE. Very Good. V. Scarce; undoubtedly lot 4203 of the Grinnell sale.

65 July 1, 1865. MERCHANTS NB OF PROVIDENCE. Strictly Good. Rare; figured at $15. in the Grinnell catalog, lot 4205.

66 Aug. 1, 1865. NB OF COMMERCE OF PROVIDENCE. Not quite Fine. Considered rather rare.

67 July 1, 1865. NATIONAL EAGLE BANK OF PROVIDENCE. Very Fine; group of pinholes at lower c. The Grinnell example was barely Good and repaired. Rare.

68 Aug. 15, 1865. NEWPORT NB. Not quite Fine. Top margins cut very close. Probably Grinnell 4163 ($13.00). Also rare.

69 July 1, 1865. PHENIX NB OF PROVIDENCE. Fine. Not too bad a note.

70 July 1, 1865. SLATER NB OF NORTH PROVIDENCE. Good to Very Good. Called "Very Good" and rare in the Grinnell catalog.

71 **Vermont.** Jan. 2, 1865. FIRST NB OF NORTH BENNINGTON. Very Good. Grinnell 4174, where it was called very rare.

72 Jan. 2, 1865. FIRST NB OF ST. JOHNSBURY. Not quite V. Good; few unimportant rust spots at l. end.

73 Aug. 15, 1865. NB OF NEWBURY, Wells River. Strictly Fine; tiny "rust flake" at first numeral of SN. Uncommonly rare.

74 Aug. 15, 1865. NB OF RUTLAND. Very Good plus; split through the centre and reinforced upon the reverse. This was lot 2934 in the Grinnell sale, where it was said that "Notes on the New England States are difficult to obtain especially in choice condition." Bluestone called this item Fine.

75 Aug. 1, 1865. NB OF VERGENNES. Fine or better. This note could even be called VF, but we note age stains at the left c. of the rev. Interesting and valuable.

76 July 1, 1865. WOODSTOCK NB. Strictly Very Good; originally purchased as Fine.

Without Charter Number — Treasury Number in Blue

The following ten notes are considerably rarer than the preceding. While Barney Bluestone mentioned the appearance of Treas. Nos. in blue (in the Grinnell catalogs), he apparently did not fully grasp the relative importance of these notes, or their place in the extensive National Bank series.

77 **Massachusetts.** July 1, 1865. BRISTOL COUNTY NB OF TAUNTON. Abt. V. Good; trimmed a bit close at top. RR.

78 July 1, 1865. FANEUIL HALL NB OF BOSTON. SN 1608; TN 459697. Barely V. Good; well circulated. RR.

79 Another. SN 6085; TN 535114. Good plus. Both of these Faneuil Hall Nat'l Bank notes are of exceptional historical interest and value.

80 July 1, 1865. LEE NB. Very Good; slightly stained upon the rev. Ex Grinnell, lot 4140, where it was (properly) called RR.

81 July 1, 1865. SOUTHBRIDGE NB. Very Good; trimmed close at the r. end. Signed by H. D. and L. M. Lane (a family bank!). RR, as are all of these.

82 July 1, 1865. SOUTH DANVERS NB. Serial No. 81. Very close to Fine. RR and desirable.

83 Jan. 17, 1865. WALTHAM NB OF WALTHAM. Fine to Very Fine. A clean, attractive note; the very tip of the upper l. hand corner lacking, which does not mar its appearance or value. RR.

84 **Ohio.** Jan. 2, 1865. FIRST NB OF TOLEDO. Very Good. This bank had low Charter 91 (which of course does not appear upon this note). RR.

85 July 1, 1865. NATIONAL EXCHANGE BANK OF TIFFIN. Good to V. Good; signatures faded. RR.

86 **Pennsylvania.** July 1, 1865. MARINE NB OF ERIE. Close to V. Good. Grinnell 4097. RR.

With Charter Number — Treasury Number in Red

87 **Illinois.** Aug. 15, 1865. ALTON NB. Right Charter No. at "Bearer." Strictly Very Fine; a bit close at top. Grinnell 2988. Rare and choice.

88 Another. Fine, slightly soiled upon the reverse. Purchased by Mr. Clarke for $12. several years ago, when U.S. Currency was hardly as popular as it is today.

89 July 1, 1865. FIRST NB OF MACOMB. R. Charter No. at "Bearer." Fine plus.

90 **Maine.** Jan. 2, 1865. FIRST NB OF AUGUSTA. Right Charter No. (367) at "Bearer." This was lot 2836 ($22.50, eleven years ago) in the Grinnell sale, where it was accurately called Ex. Fine. Cataloger Bluestone remarked upon the low Charter No., "most unusual on a note of this date." A beautiful and bright item, worthy of a generous bid.

91 **Massachusetts.** July 1, 1865. NATIONAL UNION BANK OF BOSTON. R. Charter No. at "Bearer." Good or better. Rare.

92 Jan. 17, 1865. NAUMKEAG NB OF SALEM. Right Charter No. (647) at "Bearer." Almost Unc., margin close at left top. Ex Grinnell, lot 3814, where it was called very rare. Really nice.

93 July 1, 1865. TAUNTON NB OF TAUNTON. R. Charter No. at "Bearer." Fine plus. Valued at $20. on the present market.

94 Jan. 2, 1865. UNION NB OF WEYMOUTH. **Right Charter No.** (510) **below Serial No.** Very Good. Ex Grinnell, lot 3988, as a "Rare New England note." Uncommon "type."

95 Jan. 17, 1865. WALTHAM NB OF WALTHAM. Right Charter No. (688) at "Bearer." Very Good. See lot 83 above.

96 **Missouri.** July 1, 1865. ST. LOUIS NB. R. Charter No. at "Bearer." Not quite Good, but a very rare western item, seldom offered, and even then in poor preservation.

97 **New Hampshire.** Jan. 2, 1865. FIRST NB OF CONCORD. **Right Charter No.** (318) **below Serial No. Rhode Island.** July 1, 1865. MANUFACTURERS NB OF PROVIDENCE. R. Charter No. at "Bearer." First almost VG, but trimmed close on three sides and repaired at c. where it split almost in half. Last Good; rev. notation. Really rare and scarce; see lot 64 earlier. 2 Pcs.

98 Aug. 15, 1865. NATIONAL WARREN BANK OF WARREN. R. Charter No. at "Bearer." Very Good; few defects, including a tear at l. Needs expert repair work, the note complete.

99 **Vermont.** July 1, 1865. MERCHANTS NB OF BURLINGTON. R. Charter No. at "Bearer." Almost, but not quite Fine; trimmed close at top and sides. Rare; valued to $17.50.

It might be well to note here that the bills with Charter numbers imprinted came last. The Treasury Department finally printed the bank number on all of the notes of the period to facilitate checking when they were returned for redemption. This method made it easier to credit the proper banks.

$2. Notes — Colby & Spinner
Small Red (Rays) Seal

Without Charter Number — Treasury Number in Red

"Lazy 2's" are by far the most popular National Bank Notes, if not the "hottest" item in the entire series of U.S. Currency. As with the $1. bills, we would like to call attention to the higher rarity of the notes lacking Charter numbers, and the very high rarity of those lacking Charters with the Treasury number in blue.

100 **Indiana.** Jan. 2, **1865.** FIRST NB OF INDIANAPOLIS. Good plus. Unevenly trimmed at the bottom, but an evenly worn, acceptable example, free from serious defects.

101 Jan. 2, 1865. SECOND NB OF LA FAYETTE. Very Fair; just beginning to tatter, the surface paper flaked in a few spots. Still, a $20. item today.

102 **Maine.** July 1, 1865. MEDOMAK NB OF WALDOBORO. Fine, in spite of slight

soiling and a tiny obverse paper flake at upper l. A rare note from a really rare state.

103 **Maryland.** Nov. 1, 1865. SECOND NB OF CUMBERLAND. Barely Good; "King size" pinhole at upper r. Acceptable, in spite of our description.

104 **Massachusetts.** July 1, 1865. ANDOVER NB. Strictly Very Good. Better than most; worth looking at.

105 Jan. 2, 1865. FIRST NB OF FALL RIVER. Just about V. Good; nice even wear. Grinnell 4101. See lot 34, earlier.

106 Jan. 17, 1865. POCASSET NB, Fall River. Also close to VG; trimmed tight at bottom and sides.

107 Jan. 2, 1865. SECOND NB OF FALL RIVER. Strictly Good; trimmed close. Grinnell 4102.

108 Jan. 17, 1865. TREMONT NB OF BOSTON. Close to V. Fine; margins close. Grinnell 4064. See lots 43, 44 (this sale) for the $1. denomination. This one also signed by Ann T. Hall, lady President.

109 Jan. 2, 1865. WORCESTER NB. Almost Fine. Ex Grinnell, lot 4244; see our lot 45 for the $1. mate to this item (Grinnell 4243).

110 **Michigan.** July 1, 1865. FIRST NB OF STURGIS. Not quite VG; well worn at vertical creases, patched with stamp hinges at several points upon the rev. This note has a uniform aged look, and was cut close at the bottom. Ex Grinnell, lot 4228. A rare bill, like all of these.

111 **New Hampshire.** July 1, 1865. MONADNOCK NB OF EAST JAFFREY. Very Good; trimmed close. Grinnell 3249. Quoting Barney Bluestone, "A rare note indeed."

112 **New York.** July 1, 1865. MECHANICS NB OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK. Printed signatures. Fine; somewhat soiled at the r. end of the obv. (and corresponding part of the reverse). Very rare and interesting, like all NYC issues.

113 July 1, 1865. NATIONAL SHOE AND LEATHER BANK OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK. Good plus. Extremely rare, the first "Lazy 2" we have seen from this rare bank. Worth a good price!

114 **Ohio.** Jan. 2, 1865. FIRST NB OF WASHINGTON. **Serial No. 1.** Slightly crinkled, and not quite perfect Unc. Cut close at the top and bottom margins. As lot 1572 in the Grinnell sale, however, this identical note was called "absolutely bright clean crisp, Unc." Cataloger Bluestone also said of this item, "the only No. 1 note on this bank in this series and denomination." Should bring close to $175. on today's rapidly advancing market.

115 **Pennsylvania.** Jan. 2, 1865. FIRST NB OF DANVILLE. Strictly Fine. Grinnell 3209. A truly nice note, evenly centered and free of flaws.

116 **Rhode Island.** July 1, 1865. NATIONAL LANDHOLDERS BANK OF KINGSTON. Barely Good; few tiny tears and holes. Not the worst we have handled, by far.

117 **Vermont.** Aug. 15, 1865. NB OF RUTLAND. Serial No. 11333. Good or better; very few unimportant defects. Grinnell 3794. A clean, desirable and rare note.

118 **Treasury Numbers in Blue;** No Charter Number. **Pennsylvania.** July 1, 1865. FIRST NB OF CLEARFIELD. Abt. Very Good; cut close at the bottom of the obv. Very rare and valuable.

119 **Vermont.** July 1, 1865. MONTPELIER NB. Close to Very Fine. A bright and very attractive bill, in spite of a "King size" pinhole or so at l., and a tiny tear (mended from the rev.) at the closely cropped top left side of the obverse. Ex Grinnell, lot 4154, where it was said "All Vermont notes are very rare." This one (of course) is RRR, and should be looked at.

With Charter Number — Treasury Number in Red

120 **Maine.** July 1, 1865. MERCHANTS NB OF PORTLAND. Almost V. Good; close at the bottom of the obv., a very few unimportant marginal defects.

121 **New York.** Nov. 1, 1865. ORLEANS COUNTY NB OF ALBION. Strictly Fine, the obverse appearing at first glance VF. Cut close at the bottom margins; heavy centre and l. side vertical reverse crease worn through slightly at their junction with a lighter horizontal fold. Evidently carried in a wallet for a considerable period, judging from the uneven rev. wear and the unusually nice obverse. Grinnell 2034. Should be seen.

122 July 1, 1865. SEVENTH WARD NB OF NEW YORK. Fine or better; trimmed rather close except for the top of the obv., and the r. end of the reverse. Mostly clean; rare and desirable.

123 **Pennsylvania.** July 1, 1865. MANHEIM NB. Strictly Fine; better than most. Grinnell 3516, where it was called "Very rare."

124 **Rhode Island.** July 1, 1865. MANUFACTURERS NB OF PROVIDENCE. Fully Very Fine. While careful examination reveals traces of white paper adhering to the

reverse (in two haraly noticeable spots), this attractive note is one of the nicest we have handled. See lots 64, 97.

125 **Vermont.** July 1, 1865. MERCHANTS NB OF BURLINGTON. Very Good; closely cut at the r. end of the obverse. Ex Grinnell, lot 2935, where it was called "Fine." Really rare. Look up lot 99 for the matching $1. bill.

126 **$5.** Aug. 1, **1865. Colby & Spinner.** S. Red (Rays) seal. No Charter No. OLD LOWELL NB, Lowell, **Mass.** Fine; cut close at the top on either side. Ex Grinnell, lot 4143. RR.

127 $5. Dec. 22, **1864.** Sigs. and seal as last. No Charter No. Odd Serial No. A 19354. SUFFOLK NB OF BOSTON. Fine or better; margins rather close, a tiny edge tear on the l. bottom and r. end. Lot 4060 (Grinnell), as "Very fine." A rare early note, worthy of interest.

128 $5. July 20, **1865.** Sigs. and seal as last. No Charter No. MANUFACTURERS NB OF PROVIDENCE, **Rhode Island.** Fine; cut close at the bottom upon both sides. Two or three unimportant ink marks. Grinnell 4204. See lot 124 above and related lots.

129 **$10.** Dec. 8, **1864. Colby & Spinner.** S. Red (Rays) seal. No Charter No. NB OF POTTSTOWN, **Pa.** Very Fine or so; valued by Friedberg at $60.00. Grinnell 4197.

130 **$20.** Oct. 2, **1865. Colby & Spinner.** S. Red (Rays) seal. Charter No. FIRST NB OF WISCASSET, **Maine.** Very Good; two or three hardly visible edge tears. Grinnell 4010. A very rare New England note.

$1. Notes — Allison & Spinner
Small Red (Rays) Seal — Without Charter Number

131 **Colorado Territory,** June 15, **1871.** FIRST NB OF PUEBLO. Bears the state seal on reverse with Latin motto "Nil Sine Numine," instead of the territorial seal (without motto) supposedly on all Colorado Territorials and First Charter greenbacks. Good to V. Good; at one time torn almost in half, now repaired upon the reverse with stamp hinges. Grinnell 4211. Exceedingly rare and of the highest interest.

This bank had Charter No. 1833. Colorado did not become a state until 1876. For further information concerning the seal upon reverse, see "United States National Bank Notes, Original Series," Dr. Frank A. Limpert, Royal Oak, Mich., 1954; pages 14, 15.

132 **Illinois.** Oct. 15, **1872.** CENTRAL NB OF CHICAGO. Fine plus; two tiny edge tears (not touching the design). Grinnell 4085; "Abt. very fine."

133 April 15, **1873.** EDGAR COUNTY NB OF PARIS. Very Good. Grinnell 4180. Very scarce, like the last.

134 **Indiana.** Oct. 15, **1872.** FIRST NB OF LEBANON. SN 399; TN D328408). Practically Unc. A partly crisp, unusually attractive note.

135 Another. SN 431; TN D328440). Almost exactly like the last, but upon close inspection a trifle less desirable. Somewhat close at the bottom of the rev., like lot 134. All of these First Charter One Dollar Nationals are becoming extremely difficult to obtain in top condition, the supply rapidly falling behind the demand.

136 **Maine.** March 15, **1873.** DEAZIE NB OF BANGOR. Strictly Very Good; four tiny (and unimportant) marginal tears. Very rare.

137 **Massachusetts.** April 15, **1873.** CENTRAL NB OF BOSTON. **Serial No. 1.** Ex. Fine plus; crisp, but with a few minor defects and a small piece missing (and patched) at the top r. This was lot 1594 in the Grinnell sale, where it was "clean, crisp, Unc." (the missing piece mentioned). RRR.

138 March 15, **1872.** MOUNT VERNON NB OF BOSTON. Strictly Fine; off-center towards the top of the rev. Free of flaws, and well above average. A rare bank.

139 **Missouri.** Oct. 1, **1870.** MONITEAU NB OF CALIFORNIA. SN 1472; TN C74424). Crisp Unc. A splendid item for the type collector.

140 Another. SN 1495; TN C74447). Choice Unc. Not quite as perfect as the last, but better centered upon the reverse. Also a real beauty!

141 **Vermont.** July 15, **1873.** NB OF BARRE. Serial No. 137. Fine; mostly cut close.

With Charter Number

142 **District of Columbia.** June 15, **1874.** CITIZENS NB OF WASHINGTON CITY. Fine to V. Fine. Of exceptional interest and value.

143 **Illinois.** Aug. 15, **1872.** FIRST NB OF KANSAS. SN 2843; TN E480851). Crisp Unc. Nicely centered. Rarer so than a great many items that sell for more.

144 Another. SN 2854; TN E480862). Choice Unc. Cut a bit close at the top l. side of the obv. and corresponding part of the rev. Highly desirable.

145 Sept. 15, **1873.** FIRST NB OF LINCOLN. SN 1001; TN D642273). Ex. Fine; few tiny marginal tears (couple mended) and several microscopic pin holes at c. Purchased as crisp Unc., which it appears to be at first glance.

146 Another. SN 1102; TN D642374). Extremely Fine. Neatly centered and very attractive.

147 Oct. 15, **1872.** HOME NB OF CHICAGO. Serial No. 61. Not quite Fine; faint red ink stains at the r. reverse end. Rare bank.

148 **Massachusetts.** June 15, **1875.** WACHUSETT NB OF FITCHBURG. Abt. Very Fine. Nicely centered; two pin holes towards l. end. A very rare, late dated note of the "old series." When the National Bank notes are straightened out in a comprehensive catalog, this item will be an important rarity. Watch and see!

149 **Minnesota.** June 15, **1875.** MERCHANTS NB OF WINONA. Ex. Fine. Few tiny defects, including two pin holes and an unimportant edge tear at lower r. (mended). Grinnell 4006, where it was "Crisp. Unc." Of considerable importance, even more so than the last.

$2. Notes — Allison & Spinner Small Red (Rays) Seal

150 **WITHOUT CHARTER NUMBER. Kentucky.** Nov. 15, **1872.** GERMAN NB OF LOUISVILLE. Very Good. Slight tear at r. end; few minor defects. Rare and interesting bank.

151 **Massachusetts.** April 15, **1873.** CENTRAL NB OF BOSTON. **Serial No. 1.** Ex. Fine; cut close at one end and bottom. While this note is comparatively crisp, it has a "washed" look and the seal is somewhat faded. Ex Grinnell, lot 1595 (as "Nice crisp, Unc."). This rarity is from the identical sheet as our lot 137; the two bills closely resembling each other.

152 **Michigan.** Aug. 15, **1872.** NB OF LYONS. Abt. Very Good; tiny tear at either end. Grinnell 4145. Rare, as are all of these.

153 **Ohio.** Feb. 15, **1871.** MERCHANTS NB OF DAYTON. Very Fine; two or three unimportant defects. An attractive note with sharp, vivid impressions.

154 **WITH CHARTER NUMBER. Indiana.** Oct. 15, **1872.** FIRST NB OF LEBANON. **Right Charter No. below Serial No.** Very Fine; two pin holes at c. The paper on this note is brittle and aged; a few small pieces have broken away at the ends. Minor defects of similar nature have been mended at the top and bottom. Extremely rare "type." See lots 134, 135.

155 **Minnesota.** June 15, **1875.** MERCHANTS NB OF WINONA. Right Charter No. at "Bearer." Choice Uncirculated; almost Perfect, in spite of a few tiny pin holes and perhaps another minute flaw or so. Extremely rare late dated note, far rarer than its mate, lot 149 above.

156 **$5.** Jan. 16, **1871. Allison & Spinner.** S. Red (Rays) seal. No Charter No. CITY NB OF SELMA, **Alabama.** Uncirculated; paper at edge showing signs of age. Even though this note has two or three pinholes and is somewhat off center upon the rev., it is still tops condition wise, and a valuable addition to any collection. Valued by Friedberg at $75. New.

157 $5. Aug. 15, **1874.** Sigs. and seal as last. Charter No. PEOPLES NB OF ROCK ISLAND, **Illinois.** Fully Very Good. Grinnell 3782. Very rare.

158 $5. June 10, **1873.** Sigs. and seal as last. No Charter No. UNION MARKET NB OF WATERTOWN, **Mass.** Very Good; No. "224" stamped on both front and back. Close at top, particularly upon the reverse; a small tear at l. end. This was lot 3962 in the Grinnell sale, where it was "Fine." Rare New England item.

159 $5. Jan. 16, **1871.** Sigs. and seal as last. No Charter No. FIRST NB OF NILES, **Michigan.** Serial No. 173. Strictly Very Fine; two or three unimportant pin holes. Ex Grinnell, lot 1968 ("Ex. fine."), where it was called "A rare early issue."

$1. Notes — Allison & New Red (Scalloped) Seal — With Charter Number

160 **PINK SILK FIBRE PAPER. Indiana.** July 1, **1865.** NATIONAL STATE BANK OF LAFAYETTE. **"Series 1875" under l. Charter No.** (as on all following). Almost V. Fine; evenly centered. Ex Grinnell, lot 3446. Definitely scarce.

161 **Massachusetts.** July 1, 1865. COLUMBIAN NB OF BOSTON. Close to Unc., but apparently washed at one time. Ex Grinnell, lot 3070, as Unc. Pen signed by John T. Coolidge (President) who was related to the late President (of the U.S.) Coolidge. While unevenly trimmed, a highly desirable and interesting bill.

162 Oct. 25, **1875.** HOME NB OF MILFORD. SN 5159; TN A670063). Strictly Ex.

Fine; actually, very close to full Unc. An attractive, evenly centered item.

163 Another. SN 5431; TN A670335). Ex. Fine; slightly soiled at the r. end of the obv. Not as nice as the last.

164 **Rhode Island.** Aug. 1, 1865. NB OF COMMERCE OF PROVIDENCE. Very Good or better; few minor defects, cut close at the top of the obv. "3904" and "13" (circled) stamped upon the front. See lot 66 for a companion note.

165 July 1, 1865. PHENIX NB OF PROVIDENCE. Fine; washed. See lot 69 for another Fine bill from this bank.

166 **BLUE STAINED OBVERSE FIBRE PAPER. Maine.** Nov. 15, **1875.** MERCHANTS NB OF WATERVILLE. Serial No. 61. **Massachusetts.** July 1, **1865.** FANEUIL HALL NB OF BOSTON. Very Fair or so. See lots 78, 79 for other $1. notes of the Faneuil Hall Bank. 2 Pcs.

Our designations for the two basic types of paper upon which these notes are found, cannot be technically correct. The "Pink Silk Fibre Paper" is found with a uniform obverse, although sometimes the centre of the reverse has a bluish cast to it. The "Blue Stained Obverse" bills are distinguished by a blue stain (in the paper) running from top to bottom left of the central vignette.

167 Oct. 25, 1875. MERCHANDISE NB OF BOSTON. Very Good. A highly unusual bank title. Undoubtedly rare.

168 **New York.** July 1, 1865. TRADESMENS NB OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK. **Serial No. 1;** Charter No. 905. Fine to V. Fine. While cut particularly sharp at the l. top end of the obv., and in spite of a few tiny defects, this note is worthy of serious attention. Grinnell 1599 (valued in 1945 at $25.00). Rare.

169 **Pennsylvania.** Jan. 17, 1865. FIRST NB OF CORRY. Serial No. 79; Charter No. 605. Fine plus; traces of crispness, but well washed. Cut close at bottom; two or so unimportant slivers or holes at centre. V. Scarce.

170 **Rhode Island.** July 1, 1865. FIRST NB OF PAWTUCKET. Charter No. 843; Printed signatures. May 1, **1866.** PACIFIC NB OF NORTH PROVIDENCE. Abt. V. Good and V. Fair, the last of considerable rarity. 2 Pcs.

171 **$2.** July 15, **1872. Allison & New.** Red (Scalloped) Seal. **Charter No.** ASHLAND NB, **Kentucky.** SERIES 1875. **Pink Silk Fibre Paper.** Good to V. Good. Really rare.

172 $2. Nov. 15, **1875.** Sigs. and seal as last. MERCHANTS NB OF WATERVILLE, **Maine. Blue Stained Obverse Fibre Paper.** Serial No. 34. Abt. Good. See the first item in lot 166 above. RR.

173 $2. Jan. 2, **1865.** Sigs. and seal as last. FIRST NB OF LOWELL, **Mass.** Charter No. 331. Very Good, some claims to Fine. Right ink signature slightly through paper; margins at top cut very close. Records to $50. for similar specimens.

174 **$1.** and **$2.** Jan. 15, 1872. Sigs., seal as preceding. FIRST NB OF EMPORIA, **Kansas.** A matched pair (blue stained paper) from consecutive sheets; the $1. SN 1918, TN A67174); the $2. SN 1917, TN A67173). A strictly Fine pair; the $1. with a small tear at top r., the $2. with a few pin holes. Very rare as individual Kansas notes; RRR together. 2 Pcs.

$5. Notes — Allison & New Red (Scalloped) Seal — With Charter Number

175 **PINK SILK FIBRE PAPER. Illinois.** May 15, **1876.** FARMERS NB OF GENESEO. **"Series 1875" under l. Charter No.** (as on all following). Very Good. Grinnell 3328. Rare.

176 May 10, **1865.** MERCHANTS NB OF GALENA. Ex. Fine plus. Cut close at top and bottom; few pin holes. A beauty, regardless of description.

Collectors having $5. notes of the FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF GALENA own extremely interesting frauds. There is no such bank, and all bills bearing the name are fictitious fakes.

177 **Indiana.** Sept. 30, **1871.** FIRST NB OF BLOOMINGTON. Almost, but not quite V. Fine. Grinnell 3065. Rare.

178 **Massachusetts.** May 10, 1865. BAY STATE NB OF LAWRENCE. Fine; cut close at top. Washed once, but still desirable. Worth $20. or so.

179 Oct. 28, **1864.** BOYLSTON NB OF BOSTON. Charter No. 545; Printed signatures. V. Good to Fine.

A poor photographic counterfeit of the above note exists, Plate letter C.

180 Feb. 20, 1864. FIRST NB OF NEW BEDFORD. Charter No. 261. Abt. Fine, top margins close. Washed once, the fate of so many of these.

A photographic fake also is extant of this bill, Plate letter B.

181 **Michigan.** Jan. 16, 1871. FIRST NB OF HOLLY. Close to Fine. Well creased; close at top. Grinnell 3386 (valued nine years ago at $22.00).

182 **New Hampshire.** April 20, 1865. ASHUELOT NB OF KEENE. Serial No. 38. Abt. V. Good. Few flaws; initialed monogram stamped upon rev. Grinnell 3432.

183 March 15, **1869.** FIRST NB OF HILLSBOROUGH. Fine; margins cut close at l. end

and top of obverse. Grinnell 3379 ("Very fine."). Another rare New England note.

184 June 1, 1865. ROCKINGHAM NB OF PORTSMOUTH. Strictly Fine. First we've noted.

185 **Rhode Island.** Dec. 22, 1864. THIRD NB OF PROVIDENCE. Very Good; close at bottom. Brown stain (hardly serious) at r. centre.

186 **BLUE STAINED OBVERSE FIBRE PAPER. Massachusetts.** Nov. 25, **1864.** HOWARD NB OF BOSTON. Charter No. 578. Strictly Fine. Definitely rare.

The above note, as well as lot 188, can be easily identified by an obvious blue stain across the top (upon both sides). However, as observed following lot 166, some of the regular fibre paper issues show traces of a bluish coloration. On the $5. notes, this seems limited to either the l. or r. hand side of the bill.

187 July 20, **1865.** NATIONAL UNION BANK OF FALL RIVER. Very Good; small tear mended at r. centre. This item has been so extensively washed, that the blue stain across the obv. top is hardly visible.

188 **Rhode Island.** July 1, 1865. OLD NB OF PROVIDENCE. Printed signatures. Strictly Fine. Rare.

$10. Notes — Allison & New Red (Scalloped) Seal — With Charter Number

189 **WARM COLORED FIBRE PAPER. Illinois.** Sept. 8, **1864.** FIRST NB OF JACKSONVILLE. **"Series 1875" under l. Charter No.** (as on all following). Charter No. 511. Very Good; light age stain. Rare.

190 Feb. 2, 1864. FIRST NB OF SPRINGFIELD. Charter No. 405. Strictly Fine; one or two minor defects. Valued by Raymond at $30. Fine.

191 **Pennsylvania.** Nov. 25, 1864. NB OF MIDDLETOWN. Charter No. 585. Abt. V. Good. Grinnell 3556. Rare bill.

192 May 2, 1864. FOURTH NB OF PITTSBURGH. Charter No. 432. Abt. V. Good. In spite of a few unimportant flaws, an acceptable and interesting note.

193 July 28, **1865.** FIRST NB OF PITTSTON. Charter No. 478. Abt. V. Good. Even wear. Ex Grinnell, lot 3720, where it was valued at $28.00.

194 **Rhode Island.** May 10, 1865. FIFTH NB OF PROVIDENCE. Printed signatures. Strictly Very Good. Worth about $25. today!

195 **COLD, WHITISH FIBRE PAPER. Indiana.** Sept. 15, **1871.** FIRST NB OF VINCENNES. Choice Unc. A top-notch rarity in splendid preservation. While careful examination reveals a trace or so of crinkling towards the r. end, this note could hardly be bettered. Grinnell 3942, as a "Sparkling gem. Crisp, Unc." Should bring $75. to $90. today.

196 **Pennsylvania.** Jan. 26, **1865.** GERMAN NB OF PITTSBURGH. Charter No. 757. Fine to V. Fine. Interesting bank name; far above average.

$20. Notes — Allison & New Red (Scalloped) Seal — With Charter Number

197 **PINK SILK FIBRE PAPER. Illinois.** Feb. 14, **1865.** CITY NB OF CAIRO. **"Series 1875" under l. Charter No.** (as on all following). Charter No. 785. Fine; tiny tear mended at the lower r. hand corner. Pen signed by Halliday and Halliday. Grinnell 3107 (estimated at $45.00).

198 July 15, **1871.** FIRST NB OF LANARK. Very Good. First Charter Twenties are not common in any condition.

199 **Indiana.** Jan. 14, 1865. FIRST NB OF AURORA. Charter No. 699. Fully Fine. Above average.

200 **Massachusetts.** May 10, 1865. BAY STATE NB OF LAWRENCE. Abt. Fine; close at bottom. Grinnell 3464, there valued at $48.00. See lot 178 for a matching $5. note of this bank.

201 **Pennsylvania.** Dec. 28, **1864.** MONONGAHELA NB OF BROWNSVILLE. Charter No. 648. Fine plus; close at the bottom upon both sides. Washed once; few minor rev. ink spots. Ex Grinnell as lot 3094, there called "Very Fine." Really rare early issue.

202 **Rhode Island.** April 1, 1865. SLATER NB OF NORTH PROVIDENCE. Charter No. 856; Printed signatures. Abt. Fine, some soiling at r. obv. end. Compare lot 70, dated July 1, 1865.

203 **BLUE STAINED OBVERSE FIBRE PAPER. Michigan.** Oct. 2, **1865.** AMERICAN NB OF DETROIT. Fine. Blue stain at r. centre of note. Grinnell 1814. Very rare and unappreciated.

204 **Pennsylvania.** Oct. 5, **1875.** PERKIOMEN NB, Pennsburg. Town name and date

at base of note, above officer's sigs., unlike last six lots. Very Good. Grinnell 3704. Very rare.

$1. Notes — Allison & Wyman Red (Scalloped) Seal

205 **Connecticut.** Aug. 1, **1865.** CITY NB OF HARTFORD. **"Series 1875" under l. Charter No.** (as on all following). Very Good; few unimportant defects. Uncommon State.

206 July 1, 1865. UNRAS NB OF NORWICH. Very Good. Odd bank title. Rare.

207 **District of Columbia.** May 25, **1877.** GERMAN AMERICAN NB OF WASHINGTON. Close to V. Fine; well folded. All District notes are decidedly rare.

208 **Indiana.** Aug. 15, **1873.** FIRST NB OF MARSHALL COUNTY AT PLYMOUTH. Strictly Very Fine. Unusual.

209 **Kentucky.** July 15, **1871.** GERMAN NB OF COVINGTON. Ex. Fine, partly crisp. Signs of handling at the r. end. Extra nice and desirable.

Apparently a collection of "German" NB notes could be made, just from the specimens in this offering.

210 **Massachusetts.** July 1, 1865. APPLETON NB OF LOWELL. Charter No. 986. Very Good.

211 July 1, 1865. CAPE COD NB OF HARWICH. Charter No. 712. Abt. Fine; close at the top.

212 Jan. 2, 1865. HAVERHILL NB. Charter No. 484. Jan. 2, 1865. SHAWMUT NB OF BOSTON. Charter No. 582; Printed signatures. Good to V. Good; rev. of the first damaged. 2 Pcs.

213 Jan. 17, 1865. NEW ENGLAND NB OF BOSTON. Charter No. 603. V. Good. V. Scarce.

214 Jan. 2, 1865. PEOPLES NB OF ROXBURY. Charter No. 595. July 1, 1865. STATE NB OF BOSTON. Both with Ptd. Sigs. First VG, but torn in half towards the l. and mended; last Very Good and relatively clean. 2 Pcs.

215 Jan. 2, 1865. SECOND NB OF FALL RIVER. Charter No. 439. Fine to V. Fine. Trimmed close all around; tiny tear (easily mended) at base of c. vertical crease. See lot 107 for a $2. note of this bank.

216 July 1, 1865. SOUTHBRIDGE NB. Charter No. 934. Very Good or better. See lot 81 for an earlier $1. bill of this bank.

217 **New Hampshire.** June 15, 1877. MANCHESTER NB. Ptd. Sigs. Strictly Very Good. Rather rare.

218 **New York.** Aug. 1, 1865. CONTINENTAL NB OF NEW YORK. Ptd. Sigs. in attractive blue ink. Choice Unc. Nicely centered; pin hole or so at c. **Autographed "A. U. Wyman / Treas. US / 1876 / 1883"** vertically at l. centre obv. A superb and highly important display item!

219 **Rhode Island.** Jan. 2, 1865. FIRST NB OF PROVIDENCE. Charter No. 134. Very Good. Grinnell 2913. See lot 62 earlier.

220 July 1, 1865. NATIONAL EAGLE BANK OF PROVIDENCE. Abt. V. Good; few minor imperfections. Lot 67 (this sale) contains an earlier $1. bill of this bank.

221 July 1, 1865. SLATER NB OF NORTH PROVIDENCE. Charter No. 856. SN 2188; TN B367992). Ptd. Sigs. Almost Ex. Fine; trimmed somewhat close.

222 Another. SN 2197; TN B368001). Almost identical to the last. For other notes of this bank see lots 70 ($1.) and 201 ($20.), the last bearing a different date.

223 July 2, 1865. RHODE ISLAND NB OF PROVIDENCE. Charter No. 983. **Wisconsin.** Dec. 15, **1876.** LA CROSSE NB. Serial No. 90. First with Ptd. Sigs., common from this period to the end of the series. V. Fair plus and V. Good. Last scarce. 2 Pcs.

224 **$2.** Aug. 15, **1873. Allison & Wyman.** Red (Scalloped) Seal. FIRST NB OF MARSHALL COUNTY AT PLYMOUTH, **Indiana.** SERIES 1875. Serial No. 167. Fine. Tiny nick at the top r. margin; minute (repaired) tear at the base of the c. crease. Close at both lower margins. Grinnell 3726. See lot 207 for a matching $1. of this interesting bank.

225 $2. Jan. 17, **1865.** Same sigs. and seal. PITTSBURGH NB OF COMMERCE, **Pennsylvania.** Serial No. 891; Charter No. 668. Fine to V. Fine; close at the bottom of the obv. Above average, and worthy of a commensurate price.

226 $2. July 1. 1865. Same sigs. and seal. NATIONAL EAGLE BANK OF PROVIDENCE, **Rhode Island.** Mostly V. Good, somewhat soiled. Slight flaw at the close rev. top. See lot 219 above, etc.

227 $2. Dec. 15, **1876.** Same sigs. and seal. LA CROSSE NB, **Wisconsin.** Serial No. 96. Strictly Ex. Fine. Somewhat crinkled at the r. end; rather close at the top

of the rev. Hardly a scarce or rare bank for this denomination, but a nice, truly attractive item.

228 **$5.** Feb. 18, **1865. Allison & Wyman.** Red (Scalloped) Seal. NATIONAL NIANTIC BANK OF WESTERLY, **Rhode Island.** SERIES 1875. Charter No. 712. Fine. Unimportant ink and pencil marks upon the rev. Narrow margins. Rare bank.

229 **$10.** Sept. 15, **1876. Allison & Wyman.** Red (Scalloped) Seal. CENTREVILLE NB, **Maryland.** SERIES 1875. Strictly Very Good. Ex Grinnell, lot 3147; there called rare.

230 $10. Sept. 1, **1865.** Sigs. and seal as last. EVERETT NB OF BOSTON, **Mass.** Abt. Fine; trimmed close at the rev. bottom.

231 $10. May 21, **1864.** Sigs. and seal as last. FIRST NB OF CAMBRIDGE. Charter No. 433. Fine; trimmed close all the way around. Early date; desirable bank.

232 **$20.** Feb. 15, **1872. Allison & Wyman.** Red (Scalloped) Seal. FARMERS AND MECHANICS NB OF GEORGETOWN, **District of Columbia.** SERIES 1875. Fine; trimmed close at the bottom upon both sides. Valued by Raymond at $50., the actual value of this lot.

$1. Notes — Allison & Gilfillan Red (Scalloped) Seal

233 **Connecticut.** July 1, **1865.** FIRST NB OF STONINGTON. **"Series 1875" under l. Charter No.** (as on all following). Charter No. 735. Not quite Fine; small tear (mended) at bottom c., few other minor defects. **Autographed "Jas. Gilfillan / 1877-1883 / Treas. US"** vertically at obv. c. A rare Connecticut item!

The combined tenure in office of John Allison and James Gilfillan consisted of eight months, eleven days (7/1/76 to 6/30/77), making their signature combination upon these notes much scarcer than generally recognized.

234 **New York.** July 1, 1865. MECHANICS NB OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK. Very Fine. Name "John Burk" in ink above President's signature at r. Rather rare, like all of these.

235 Aug. 1, 1865. IRVING NB OF NEW YORK. Abt. Ex. Fine, lightly folded. Cut close at the bottom r. obv. margin. Choice and valuable.

236 **Pennsylvania.** Dec. 15, **1877.** MECHANICS NB OF PHILADELPHIA. Charter No. 610. Fine to V. Fine, although lightly rubbed at top rev. c. Nice match for 234 above.

237 **$2.** Jan. 17, **1865. Allison & Gilfillan.** Red (Scalloped) Seal. NB OF NORTH AMERICA, Boston, **Mass.** SERIES 1875. **Serial No. 5;** Charter No. 672. Strictly Very Fine; evenly centered. **Autographed "Jas. Gilfillan / Treas. U.S. / 1877-1883"** vertically at upper l. centre. A highly desirable and attractive note, issued upon an important bank. Worth a good price.

238 **$5.** Oct. 5, **1877. Allison & Gilfillan.** Red (Scalloped) Seal. CHASE NB OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, **New York.** SERIES 1875. Uncirculated; mostly crisp and perfect. Rare and popular bank; valued to $50. so.

239 **$20.** May 25, **1874. Allison & Gilfillan.** Red (Scalloped) Seal. SECOND NB OF BAY CITY, **Mich.** SERIES 1875. Abt. Fine. Strong, vivid rev. impressions. Grinnell 3036, there called "Abt. very fine" and a "Rare item."

Scofield & Gilfillan — Red (Scalloped) Seal

240 **$1.** Mar. 15, **1873.** RICHMOND NB, **Indiana. "Series 1875" under l. Charter No.** (as on all following). **Serial No. 1.** Apparently washed once, but otherwise choice Unc. Exceptionally wide margin at top with imprint. Ex Grinnell, lot 1571. There called "Magnificent bright clean crisp, Unc. A gem indeed."

241 $1. Sept. 20, **1878.** BERKSHIRE NB OF NORTH ADAMS, **Mass.** Serial No. 101. Abt. Very Fine, well above average.

242 Another $1., 1873, from the RICHMOND NB of Indiana, Serial No. 210. Also, $1. July 30, 1878. FIRST NB OF NEW BEDFORD, Mass. Charter No. 261. Good average. See lot 180 earlier, for a $5. note from the last bank, the date different.

Both of the Richmond NB (Indiana) notes, lots 240, 42 above, bear the signatures of "C.H." and "C.F. Coffin." Presumably another family bank, so common in the early days.

$5. Notes — Scofield & Gilfillan Red (Scalloped) Seal

243 **Illinois.** July 15, **1878.** GREENE COUNTY NB OF CARROLLTON. **"Series 1875" under l. Charter No.** (as on all following). **Serial No. 1;** TN E691976). Choice Unc. A really rare and important item, the bottom note "D" from the first sheet printed. Grinnell 1578. Worth a generous bid!

244 Another. **Serial No. 2;** TN E691977). Equally choice Unc. The top note from the second sheet (Plate letter "A"). In the $60. class, as these bills go.

245 A third, same date of issue. For comparison, SN 17105; TN Z712778). Strictly Fine.

246 May 5, **1881.** RICKER NB OF QUINCY. Abt. V. Good. Printed signatures of the Rickers, George and Henry. A real family bank! Interesting and rare.

247 **Kentucky.** Sept. 15, **1874.** THIRD NB OF LOUISVILLE. Very Good. Desirable state.

248 **Massachusetts.** Oct. 15, **1879.** CHAPIN NB OF SPRINGFIELD. Close to Fine; superior to the last.

249 **New York.** Feb. 25, 1879. FARMERS NB OF ROME. Fine; cut close at the bottom margins. See Grinnell 2477, where this bank is called "Very rare."

250 **Pennsylvania.** Aug. 30, 1878. JEFFERSON COUNTY NB OF BROOKVILLE. Very Fine. Unevenly cut margins; one or two unimportant defects. Grinnell 3093 as "Pract. Unc."

251 Mar. 25, **1880.** MERCHANTS NB OF PHILADELPHIA. Abt. V. Good; bottom margins close.

252 **Vermont.** Aug. 30, 1878. BENNINGTON COUNTY NB OF BENNINGTON. Abt. V. Good. Rare New England bill.

$10. Notes — Scofield & Gilfillan Red (Scalloped) Seal

253 **Iowa.** April 26, **1880.** CITY NB OF CLINTON. **"Series 1875" under I. Charter No.** (as on all following). Abt. V. Good, trimmed rather close at both top margins. Ex Grinnell, lot 3175.

254 **Massachusetts.** July 1, **1865.** ROCKPORT NB. Serial No. 715. Barely Fine. Grinnell 3784 as "Very fine." V. Scarce.

255 **Michigan.** March 25, 1880. GRAND RAPIDS NB. Very Good. Ex Grinnell, lot 1852, there called "Fine."

256 April 15, **1871.** MUSKEGON NB. TN A458876). Mostly Fine. Grinnell 1961.

257 Another. TN A459174). Different Cashier's signature. Fine plus. Grinnell 1962. Plate letter "D". Evidently from a sheet of (4) $10. notes.

258 **New York.** April 26, 1880. BRIGGS NB OF CLYDE. V. Good. Grinnell 2151 as "Abt. fine." There called "Very rare."

259 Jan. 15, 1880. NB OF OGDENSBURG. Fine plus; paper crease at r. end. Large signatures, that of the President unusually so. While this note could pass muster as V. Fine, it was called "Abt. Ex. fine" as lot 2393 in the Grinnell sale. Really rare, and, one way or another, well above average.

260 **Vermont.** July 1, 1865. NB OF LYNDON. Serial No. 570. Fine or so; rather close margins. Another very scarce early date item, like 254 above.

$5. Notes — Bruce & Gilfillan Red (Scalloped) Seal

261 **Illinois.** May 27, **1882.** STERLING NB. **"Series 1875" under I. Charter No.** (as on all following). Strictly Fine. Grinnell 3888. Rather rare.

262 **Massachusetts.** June 15, **1881.** THIRD NB OF PITTSFIELD. V. Good or so; trimmed somewhat close. Grinnell 3719, as "Fine" and "Rare."

263 **Wisconsin.** Dec. 28, 1881. MANUFACTURERS NB OF NEENAH. TN Y563200). Abt. V. Good; rubbed upon the obv. at c. crease. Cut a bit close; "FEB 23 MAR" stamped in red upon rev.

264 Another. TN Y563647). Strictly Fine. Superior to the last. Grinnell 3608, there called "Very scarce."

265 June 8, 1882. SECOND NB OF BELOIT. Not quite Fine. Grinnell 3047; estimated in 1946 at $22.00.

$10. Notes — Bruce & Gilfillan Red (Scalloped) Seal

266 **Maryland.** Feb. 1, **1882.** MANUFACTURERS NB OF BALTIMORE. **"Series 1875" under I. Charter No.** (as on all following). Abt. Fine. Trimmed into the border at the lower l. hand corner, and corresponding part of the rev. Scarce, as are all Maryland notes.

267 **Michigan.** Nov. 25, **1881.** COMMERCIAL NB OF DETROIT. Very Good. Considered rare by A. A. Grinnell.

268 July 25, 1881. FIRST NB OF MANISTEE. Fine to V. Fine; evenly centered. Grinnell 1932 as "Strictly very fine." Very scarce.

269 Jan. 9, 1882. FOURTH NB OF GRAND RAPIDS. Good to V. Good; even margins. This bill can be improved.

270 **Ohio.** Nov. 10, 1881. CITIZENS NB OF XENIA. Fine. Grinnell 4022. A rare bank; the only note that Mr. Grinnell could locate from a town beginning with the letter "X".

271 **Oregon.** Feb. 10, 1882. FIRST NB OF PENDLETON. Not quite Fine; evident creasing. A second look reveals light red and regular pencil marks upon the obv. Rare Pacific Coast item!

272 **Texas.** July 15, 1881. FIRST NB OF EL PASO. Fine plus; unimportant discoloration (from a wallet) upon the l. centre of the rev. Popular, as are all notes from the Lone Star State.

$20. Notes — Bruce & Gilfillan Red (Scalloped) Seal

273 **Connecticut.** Dec. 15, **1881.** FIRST NB OF WALLINGFORD. **"Series 1875" under I. Charter No.** (as on all following). Fine; somewhat stained. Valued to $85., but will not bring that amount.

274 **Michigan.** Jan. 9, **1882.** FOURTH NB OF GRAND RAPIDS. Very Fine; the margins slightly uneven. Rubbed at the c. crease upon the rev., but altogether an attractive and desirable bill. Grinnell 1860, there called "Ex. Fine" and valued at $65.00.

275 **New Hampshire.** Dec. 15, 1881. LANCASTER NB. Fine; heavily crinkled. Close at the bottom upon both obv. and rev. Rare town or city item. A. A. Grinnell had notes from Lancaster, Mass., N.Y., Ohio and Pa., but not from Lancaster, N.H.

276 **New York.** Jan. 23, 1882. MERCHANTS NB OF DUNKIRK. Abt. Very Good. Very scarce.

277 **Pennsylvania.** Oct. 5, 1881. MERCHANTS AND FARMERS NB OF GREENSBURG. Very Good; close at the top of the rev.

278 April 4, 1882. NB OF KITTANNING. Fine; also cut close at the rev. top margin. It should be remembered that Friedberg values these notes at $85.00.

279 **Rhode Island.** Aug. 25, 1881. UNION NB OF NEWPORT. Not quite Fine; trimmed close at the bottom on both sides. Grinnell 3635, there valued at $50., ten years ago.

280 **West Virginia.** Mar. 16, 1882. CITIZENS NB OF PARKERSBURG. Just about Very Fine; minor indications of age. Grinnell 3688, there called "very rare," which we feel might apply to all early West Virginia notes.

281 **Wisconsin.** July 22, 1882. EAU CLAIRE NB. Close to V. Good; well handled and rubbed. Ex Grinnell, lot 3257.

Ex. Rare First Charter Period, Rosecrans & Jordan $5. Note On the Territory of New Mexico

282 **$5.** Aug. 15, **1872. Rosecrans & Jordan.** Red (Scalloped) Seal. SECOND NB OF NEW MEXICO AT SANTA FE, **Territory of New Mexico. "Series 1875" under I. Charter No.** Serial No. 342; Charter No. 2024. Strictly Very Fine. Evenly centered; obviously folded twice vertically, then carried in a wallet. The combination, in top condition, of the rarest pair of signatures in the First Charter National Bank Note series and a very rare Territorial. Of the greatest interest, importance and value.

Neither Blake and Drowne's "Our Paper Money 'Greenbacks'" read before the A.N.S. in 1907 (and subsequently published), Wayte Raymond's "Standard Paper Money Catalogues" nor Dr. Limpert's "U.S. Paper Money, Old Series, 1861-1923" make any mention of a First Charter Period National Bank Note bearing the signatures of William S. Rosecrans and Conrad N. Jordan. So far as we can ascertain, A. A. Grinnell only had one FCP National in his huge collection with these signatures (lot 3043- $5., 1875, FIRST NB, Belleville, Ill.), which went as a complete "sleeper" in the 1946 sale of his holdings. On the other hand, he had at least two early Nationals with the likewise unappreciated combination of Jeffries & Spinner. While Bob Friedberg has wisely included the Rosecrans-Jordan signatures under the First Charter $5's, he apparently is not fully aware of the combination's real rarity.

Collector Grinnell also had a torn $1. First Charter Period National on this rare territorial bank, the Second National of New Mexico at Santa Fe. It had the earlier signatures of Allison & Spinner, small red (rays) seal and naturally, no Charter No. However, this much earlier "type" was dated 1873, a year later than the present note. Since Rosecrans & Jordan were in office together from June 8, 1885 to May 23, 1887, this present offering really becomes somewhat of an enigma.

SECOND CHARTER PERIOD

Series of 1882 With Brown Seal and Brown Back

$5. Notes — Signatures Horizontally Opposite

283 **Bruce & Gilfillan.** FIRST NB OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, **New York. Charter No. 29.** With Regional Letter "E". Fine. Sgd. by George F. Baker, President, at the time (1883) he was President of the Astor National Bank. Grinnell 2619. Considered rare.

Regional letters first appear on notes of the 1882 series. Some issues and denominations are rarer with them, others without; as yet we don't know. N, E, M, W, S and P are found: they denote in which group of States the bank that issued the note was situated. N signifies a New England State, E an Eastern, M a Middle, W a Western, S a Southern, and P a Pacific State. (Regional letters also appear on Territorial notes.)

284 **Bruce & Wyman.** NB OF COMMERCE IN NEW YORK. Charter No. 733. No RL. Crisp Unc., almost perfect. Off centre at the top margins, particularly upon the rev. Pen signed by J. Pierpont Morgan as V. President, and of extra value and importance so. Equal to the one that sold for $31. in our 43rd sale.

285 Two more $5. bills of the same bank, bearing the identical date, Jan. 14, 1885. Both with different gentlemen (other than Morgan) signing as President however, and both different in obv. plate composition from the last. These notes have, in addition to the RL "E", double plate letters (lot 284 having single letters), and even differ from each other. Abt. Fine. Interesting. 2 Pcs.

286 **Rosecrans & Hyatt.** QUINCY NB, **Illinois. Serial No. 1.** No RL. Ex. Fine. Appears crisp, but has at least two minute marginal tears. Grinnell 1611, there valued at $30. eleven years ago.

287 AMERICAN NB OF FINDLAY, **Ohio.** No RL. Also, another Bruce & Wyman item. FIRST NB OF JACKSON, **Mississippi.** No RL. Ornate embellishment of the bank title and plate make up. Ex. Fine, off centre at both top margins, with a very few pin holes; last Very Fine. First Grinnell 1200 as Unc., the Mississippi note really rare. 2 Pcs.

We might observe here that collectors looking for First Charter Period bills of Mississippi (4 banks) will have to do a lot of looking. The same applies to Arkansas (5 banks) and Florida (2 banks).

288 **Rosecrans & Huston.** FIRST NB OF SAN FRANCISCO, **Calif.** RL "P". Also, THE AMERICAN EXCHANGE BANK OF NEW YORK CITY, **New York.** RL "E". Fine average. Interesting. 2 Pcs.

289 **Rosecrans & Nebeker.** COLUMBIA NB OF BUFFALO, **New York.** RL "E". (2) FIRST NB OF STEWARTSTOWN, **Pa.** RL "E". (3) FIRST NB OF PLATTEVILLE, **Wis.** No RL. V. Fine or better; about V.G., and strictly V. Good. Last somewhat scarce. 3 Pcs.

290 **Tillman & Roberts.** CHASE NB OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, **New York.** RL "E". Abt. Fine; close at the bottom margins. A very rare signature combination, the two aforementioned fellows in office together only five months and one day.

291 **Tillman & Morgan.** MARION NB OF LEBANON, **Kentucky. Serial No. 3.** No RL. **Lyons & Roberts.** COMMERCIAL NB OF DETROIT, **Mich.** RL "M". Good and Unc. Former rare, the second Grinnell 1207. 2 Pcs.

$5. Notes — Signatures Above and Below Each Other

292 **Bruce & Gilfillan.** FIRST NB OF PORT CHESTER, **New York.** Charter No. 402. No RL. Choice Unc., except for the slightest evidence of creasing. Naturally, obtained as perfect. V. Scarce.

293 **Bruce & Wyman.** THE SAINT PAUL NB, **Nebraska.** No RL. Uncirculated. Extra large margin at top, showing obv. imprint of engraver's initials. Nice, in spite of rev. traces of an adhesive (removable).

294 FIRST NB OF SALISBURY, **North Carolina.** No RL. Just about fully Unc. and crisp. Nice margins; slightly crinkled, light soiling (from counting) at the r. obv. end.

295 SECOND NB OF BUCYRUS, **Ohio.** RL "M". Close to perfect. Like the last with some crinkling, but free from evidence of counting.

296 PYNCHON NB OF SPRINGFIELD, **Mass.** Charter No. 987. No RL. Also, another Bruce & Gilfillan item from the same state. FIRST NB OF FALL RIVER. Charter No. 256. No RL. Mostly Very Good. Uncommon pair. 2 Pcs.

297 **Rosecrans & Jordan.** NORTHWESTERN NB OF CHICAGO, **Ill. Serial No. 1;** Charter No. 508. No RL. Ex. Fine or so; two or three pin holes at lower l. centre. Close margins. Really rare, as are all No. 1 notes of this series.

298 FIFTH NB OF GRAND RAPIDS, **Mich. Serial No. 1.** No RL. Unc. With narrow margins, but still a nice item. Easily worth $30. today.

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299 **Bruce & Gilfillan.** FIRST NB OF PLAINFIELD, **New Jersey.** Charter No. 447. No RL. V. Fine; close at the top margin. Valued at $30. by Friedberg.

300 FIRST NB OF LOWELL, **Mass.** Charter No. 331. Also, FIRST NB OF TOLEDO, **Ohio.** Charter No. 91. Both without Regional letter. Fine plus and Fine, the second slightly soiled and with both upper corners clipped a bit. Will never be cheaper! 2 Pcs.

301 **Bruce & Wyman.** SECURITY NB OF SIOUX CITY, **Iowa.** No RL. Fine to V.F., although faded upon the reverse. Very close at the top rev. margin, as nearly always. A rather rare state.

302 NB OF COMMERCE IN NEW YORK, **New York.** Charter No. 733. No RL. Choice Unc. Beautiful, rich impressions; splendidly centered. Unusually nice, in spite of a solitary pinhole at both top corners. Like lot 284, pen signed by J. Pierpont Morgan as V. President. Should bring at least $50.00.

303 FAIRFIELD COUNTY NB OF NORWALK, **Conn.** Charter No. 754. Also, NEW ENGLAND NB OF BOSTON, **Mass.** Charter No. 603. Both without Regional letter. Fine or better. Listed by Raymond at $20. each so. 2 Pcs.

304 **Bruce & Jordan.** NEW HAVEN COUNTY NB, **Conn.** No RL. Abt. Fine. Nicely centered, but slightly soiled; can be improved. An uncommonly rare pair of signatures, as Register Bruce and Treasurer Jordan had a combined tenure in office of only 35 days.

305 **Rosecrans & Jordan.** HANOVER NB OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, **New York.** No RL. Also, NATIONAL CITY BANK OF NEW YORK. RL "E". Fine or so. Last signed by Stillman as President, who, at the same time, was President of the Second Nat'l Bank of the City of N.Y. Interesting. 2 Pcs.

306 **Rosecrans & Huston.** NB OF COMMERCE IN ST. LOUIS, **Missouri.** RL "M". Almost Very Fine. Neatly centered; unimportant soiling at r. end. A popular state item.

307 NB OF TARENTUM, **Pa.** RL "E". Plus, FIRST NB OF CHEYENNE, **Wyoming.** RL "W". Fine or better pair, the first lightly soiled upon the rev., and close at the rev. bottom. A. A. Grinnell, in his collection of almost 1,100 notes from that many different cities and towns, did not have a bill from Tarentum, Pa. Last also rare. 2 Pcs.

308 **Rosecrans & Nebeker.** CENTRAL NB OF BOSTON, **Mass.** No RL. Also, COLUMBIA NB OF BUFFALO, **New York.** RL "E". Very Fine, nicely centered; Abt. V. Good, not particularly clean. 2 Pcs.

309 WISCONSIN NB OF MILWAUKEE, **Wisconsin.** RL "M". Abt. V. Fine, all things considered. Ex Grinnell, lot 3565, as "Rare" and "Ex. Fine."

310 **Tillman & Roberts.** CHASE NB OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, **New York.** RL "E". Abt. Fine, wrinkled; the top lightly rubbed or frayed. Very rare signature combination; these two signers in office together only five months and one day. For the companion $5., see lot 290.

311 **Tillman & Morgan.** RIGGS NB OF WASHINGTON, **District of Columbia.** RL "E". Almost V. Fine, the margins nice, but with a tiny tear at the top of the c. crease. A very popular and well known bank.

312 COMMERCIAL NB OF CHARLOTTE, **North Carolina.** Serial No. 136. No RL. Plus, WARREN NB, **Pa.** RL "E". Abt. V. Good and V. Fine, the last clean and attractive. 2 Pcs.

313 NAZARETH NB. RL "E". Strictly Very Fine; mainly wide margins. Attractive name.

314 **Lyons & Roberts.** WELLS FARGO NEVADA NB OF SAN FRANCISCO, **Calif.** RL "P". Abt. Fine. Nice margins, evenly circulated. City and date located at base of note, totally unlike the next three lots, for instance. An interesting and important bank; this note with a highly unusual Cashier's signature.

315 GRAND RAPIDS NB, **Mich.** Serial No. 330. No RL. Choice Unc. Mostly crisp; excellent margins. Very rare so nice, considering that Grinnell (in his specialized Michigan coll.) did not have a perfect one.

316 CITY NB OF BUFFALO, **New York.** No RL. Also, LINCOLN NB OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK. RL "E". Mostly V. Good; the first rare, as not many notes were issued by that bank. 2 Pcs.

317 CITY NB OF CANTON, **Ohio.** RL "M". Ex. Fine. A nice clean bill, well above average.

318 **$5. & $10. Pair.** Bruce & Wyman. MERCANTILE NB OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, **New York.** RL "E". V. Good and Fine plus. Both signed by F. B. Schenck, President. Rather interesting. 2 Pcs.

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319 **Bruce & Wyman.** NB OF COMMERCE IN NEW YORK, **New York.** Charter No. 733. No RL. Choice Unc., ever so lightly crinkled at the r. end; the rev. top margin close. Like lots 284 and 302, pen signed by J. Pierpont Morgan as V. President. In addition, NB OF WESTFIELD. No RL. Fine, but cut very close at top and bottom, the l. end border almost scalloped; rev. badly faded. First worth a good price; last almost "spending money." 2 Pcs.

320 **Rosecrans & Jordan.** FIRST NB OF HAMMOND, **Indiana.** Serial No. 485. No RL. Very Fine, the margins mostly nice. Strangely enough, Hammond was not represented in Grinnell's collection of "City" notes.

321 **Rosecrans & Huston.** FIRST NB OF MOUNT CARMEL, **Ill.** RL "M". V. Fine plus; splendid margins. This was lot 3585, ex Grinnell, where it was called "Rare" and "Ex. Fine," being valued in 1946 at $42.00.

322 **Rosecrans & Nebeker.** NB OF THE REPUBLIC OF CHICAGO, **Ill.** RL "M". **Tillman & Morgan.** KELLOGG NB OF GREEN BAY, **Wisconsin.** Serial No. 868. No RL. Fine — Good and V. Fine plus, the rev. of the first rubbed (washing didn't help). Last rare, and signed by a "Kellogg" as Cashier. 2 Pcs.

323 **Lyons & Roberts.** FIRST NB OF HANFORD, **Calif. Serial No. 1.** No RL. Strictly Ex. Fine. Very rare, as are all notes of this denomination from the first sheet printed. Also, Grinnell apparently did not have a Nat. Bk. note from Hanford, Calif. Should command $60. to $70. today!

324 FLETCHER NB OF INDIANAPOLIS, **Indiana.** RL "M". Abt. V. Fine; somewhat crinkled. Valued at $50. by Friedberg, which is rather optimistic, although these notes are no longer common. Fine or better. Cost Mr. Clarke $31. many years ago.

325 **$50. Rosecrans & Huston.** FIRST NB OF TEKAMAH, **Nebraska.** Serial No. 712. RL "W". Strictly Fine or better. A very scarce western item, seldom offered. Undoubtedly a "family bank," this Tekamah bill is pen signed by Ed and J. P. Latta.

326 **$100. Bruce & Wyman.** FIRST NB OF DENVER, **Colo.** No RL. Abt. Fine. Now rare, and in strong demand, particularly as a "high denomination western."

327 $100. Same sigs. as last. COUNTY NB OF CLEARFIELD, **Pa.** Charter No. 855. RL "E". Ex. Fine; a note worth owning.

Series of 1882 With Blue Seal; Denomination Spelled Out Across Back

328 **$5. Tillman & Morgan.** RIGGS NB OF WASHINGTON, **District of Columbia.** RL "E". Barely V. Good; shows considerable rubbing. In this rare series, the second hardest of the four signature combinations to locate. Only a few were issued, and this specimen from the Grinnell collection (lot 1301) was the best that A. A. Grinnell could find after years of search.

329 **$10. Lyons & Roberts.** CITIZENS NB OF CINCINNATI, **Ohio.** RL "M". Almost V. Fine; even margins. Rare and underrated, this note should bring $40. today. It is hardly ever found perfectly crisp.

330 Similar. LAMBERTON NB OF FRANKLIN, **Pa.** RL "E". Better than VF; almost Ex. Fine. Very close at the bottom rev. margin. Nicer than the preceding, and worth a correspondingly higher amount. Grinnelll 3309. Really rare.

331 **$20. Lyons & Roberts.** COMMERCIAL NB OF COLUMBUS, **Ohio.** RL "M". Almost V. Fine; evenly centered. Should easily bring over $50. today!

332 Similar. FIRST NB OF OAKDALE, **Pa.** RL "E". Strictly Ex. Fine. Cut close at the bottom l., and with the signatures practically washed away, but still a top condition specimen of a rarity. Oakdale, Pa. incidently, was not represented in Grinnell's collection of "City" Nationals.

Very few banks were privileged to issue this series with the denominations upon the back, hence the rarity of these notes. It was an emergency series, the same as the 1882-1908, and the 1902-1908, and permitted banks to use other securities than U.S. Bonds to secure their payment. The $10. and $20. values also exist with the combined signatures of Bruce & Roberts, the only ones seen being on the Northampton Nat'l Bank of Easton, Pa. (Charter 5118), a fact previously unknown to Bob Friedberg. The $50. and $100. denominations have been listed by Raymond for years, but are just not available.

Series of 1882 With Blue Seal; "1882—1908" Upon Back

333 **$5. Rosecrans & Nebeker.** CANTON NB, **Maryland.** RL "E". V. Fine; uneven, but acceptable margins. Grinnell 3122. Listed by Friedberg at $22.50, but should be worth more.

334 $5. **Lyons & Roberts.** OLD TOWN NB OF BALTIMORE, **Maryland.** RL "E". Fine or better; tiny tear into the l. margin (not touching the design upon either side). Obtained as VF, and like all of these unappreciated.

335 **$10. Rosecrans & Nebeker.** COLUMBIA NB OF BUFFALO, **New York.** RL "E". Fine; rev. somewhat soiled at folds. See lot 308 for an 1882 $10. of this bank.

336 $10. **Tillman & Morgan.** IOWA NB OF DES MOINES, **Iowa.** RL "M". Very Fine. Valued by Friedberg at $30. so.

337 $10. **Lyons & Roberts.** FIRST NB OF HAWAII AT HONOLULU, **Territory of Hawaii.** Charter No. 5550. RL "P". Almost Ex. Fine; even borders. In spite of a minute tear at the lower r. margin (easily repaired), an excellent example of a very rare item. Grinnell 2964. Worthy of a good price, considering the limited number issued.

338 **$20. Tillman & Morgan.** CENTENNIAL NB OF THE CITY OF PHILADELPHIA, **Pa.** RL "E". Better than Extremely Fine; slight evidence of folding, discernible only upon the rev. Evenly centered, except for the rev. top. Worth to $60., as a nice note from a rather intriguing bank.

339 $20. **Lyons & Roberts.** NB OF KINSLEY, **Kansas.** RL "W". V. Good to Fine; two or three unimportant marginal tears. Attractive margins. Kinsley, Kans. not in the A.A.G. collection of "City" Nationals. Underrated; better than it sounds.

THIRD CHARTER PERIOD

Series of 1902 With Red Seal

$5. "Number 1" Notes

340 **Lyons & Roberts.** CLINTON NB, **Iowa. Serial No. 1,** from the first sheet printed, as are the six following. Charter No. 994. RL "M". Just about full Unc., few minor imperfections; margins mostly nice. Pen signed by W. F. and G. G. Goan, undoubtedly another family bank. Ex Grinnell, lot 1674. Worth $45.00.

341 METACOMET NB OF FALL RIVER, **Mass. Serial No. 1.** Charter No. 924. RL "N". Choice, almost perfectly crisp Unc., like the last. Also obtained as perfect; Grinnell 1646.

342 MANUFACTURERS AND TRADERS NB OF BUFFALO, **New York. Serial No. 1.** RL "E". Not quite Unc. Nice, evenly centered margins. This, together with the last two notes, shows microscopic rust marks from a paper clip. Lot 1647, ex Grinnell, there called "Choice, crisp, Unc." Still, rare, and considerably underrated, as are all "Red Seals" with or without No. 1 serial numbers.

343 THIRD NB OF DAYTON, **Ohio. Serial No. 1.** RL "M". Abt. Unc. Slightly crinkled; creased along the bottom border. Grinnell 1667.

344 BLAIR COUNTY NB OF TYRONE, **Pennsylvania. Serial No. 1.** RL "E". On the main, choice Unc. Grinnell 1644. Important and valuable.

345 FAYETTE CITY NB. **Serial No. 1.** RL "E". Just about Uncirculated; apparently washed once. Grinnell 1650.

346 FIRST NB OF FREELAND. **Serial No. 1.** RL "E". This note would be fully Unc., except for a hardly visible, light vertical centre crease. Grinnell 1649, there called "Beautiful bright, crisp, Unc."

347 **$10. Lyons & Treat.** NB OF ROCHESTER, **New York. Serial No. 1.** RL "E". Abt. Very Fine. Rare, as are all these red seals; unusually so when from the first sheet. Allegedly Grinnell 1694 as "Pract. Unc." Truly acceptable, well worth at least $35. so.

348 **$20. Lyons & Roberts.** NB OF WYOMING, **Ill. Serial No. 1.** RL "M". Strictly Ex. Fine. Formerly lot 1663, ex Grinnell, where it was called "Unc." Valued to $90. perfect, this item should command a minimum bid of at least $50.00.

349 $20. Same sigs. CLINTON NB, **Iowa. Serial No. 1.** Charter No. 994. RL "M". Uncirculated, although not fully crisp. Grinnell 1675. Another splendid item from the first sheet printed; a mate to lot 340 above, the companion $5.

350 $20. **Lyons & Treat.** McKEEN NB OF TERRE HAUTE, **Ind. Serial No. 1.** RL "M". Almost Unc. Signs of crinkling; evidence of counting at the r. obv. end. Pen signed by S. C. and W. R. McKeen, making the note a highly interesting one. Called a qualified "crisp, Unc." as Grinnell 1690, this bill should realize about $75. today.

Series of 1902 With Red Seal; Other Than Serial No. 1 Notes

351 **$5. Lyons & Roberts.** NATIONAL EXCHANGE BANK OF BALTIMORE, **Md.** RL "E". V. Fine; close at the top obv. margin. This note bears the facsimile signature of Waldo Newcomer (the renowned collector) as President, making it an

extremely interesting and desirable "tie-in" item. Cost Mr. Clarke $21.00.

352 $5. Same sigs. NB OF COMMERCE IN NEW YORK, **New York.** Charter No. 733. RL "E". Very Fine. Valued at $20. by Friedberg.

353 **$10. Lyons & Roberts.** MANUFACTURERS AND TRADERS NB OF BUFFALO. RL "E". Better than Ex. Fine; some crispness remaining. Listed to $50. New.

354 $10. Same sigs. FIRST NB OF CINCINNATI, **Ohio. Charter No. 24.** RL "M". Fully Ex. Fine. Nice, with large simulated signatures in blue.

355 $10. **Lyons & Treat.** AMERICAN EXCHANGE NB OF NEW YORK CITY, **New York.** RL "E". Only Fine or so and wrinkled, but still a hard to locate "red seal."

356 **$20. Lyons & Roberts.** FIRST NB OF JAMESTOWN, **New York.** Charter No. 548. RL "E". Abt. V. Fine; very close at the bottom obv. margin. Listed by Friedberg at $50.00.

357 $20. Same sigs. DELAWARE NB, **Ohio.** RL "M". Fine. A $35. item in Raymond's '54 Catalogue.

358 **$5, $10, $20.** Set. Lyons & Treat. AMERICAN EXCHANGE NB OF NEW YORK CITY, **New York.** RL "E". Identical signatures; date. Ex. Fine plus, about Ex. Fine and just about crisp Unc. Second with slight rev. soiling, last a bit close at the bottom of the obv. Highly desirable for display; the $20. particularly attractive. Seldom offered as a set. 3 Pcs.

Series of 1902 With Blue Seal; "1902-1908" Upon Back

359 **$5. Lyons & Roberts.** CENTRAL NB OF BUFFALO, **New York.** RL "E". Fine or so; very close at the obv. bottom. Sigs. hardly visible. Worth $10.00.

360 MARINE NB OF BUFFALO. RL "E". Fine; creased. Like the last.

361 THIRD NB OF BUFFALO. Charter No. 850. RL "E". Fine or better; even margins. Uncommon, like all of these, although unappreciated.

362 $5. **Vernon & Treat.** NATIONAL STOCK YARDS NB (National Stock Yards), **Ill.** Serial No. 324; Treasury No. A2196. RL "M". Fine. First seen by us.

363 $5. **Vernon & McClung.** HASTINGS NB, **Mich. Serial No. 1.** RL "M". Choice Unc. Pen signed; nice margins. Grinnell 1704. Cheap at $25. today!

364 SWEDISH AMERICAN NB OF JAMESTOWN, **New York. Serial No. 1.** RL "E". At least Ex. Fine. Very rare and desirable, as are all No. 1 notes from this decidedly scarce series.

365 $5. **Napier & Burke.** UNITED STATES NB OF SAN DIEGO, **Calif. Serial No. 1.** RL "P". Crisp Unc. Splendid margins. A bright, vivid note with strong impressions, attractively pen signed in light blue ink. Grinnell 1706. The Napier & Burke signature combination rare, both signers in office concurrently for six months, twenty-two days, compared to four months, nine days for Napier & Thompson. Valued to $40.00.

366 **$10. Lyons & Roberts.** FIRST NB OF LE MARS, **Iowa.** RL "M". Abt. Unc. Even margins; slightly crinkled, apparently washed once. This town not represented in Grinnell's collection of different "City Nationals." Lists at $30. New.

367 MARINE NB OF BUFFALO, **New York.** RL "E". Fine, wrinkled. See lot 360 above for the matching $5. denomination.

368 MELLON NB OF PITTSBURGH, **Pa.** RL "E". Fine or so, very close at the top of the obv. Tiny tip of the upper r. hand corner off, not impairing the appearance of the bill. Signed A. W. Mellon, President. Highly interesting!

369 $10. **Napier & McClung.** IRVING NB, NEW YORK, **New York.** Charter No. 345. RL "E". V. Fine, although slightly stained; minor frayed spots, minute tear at top margin. Scarce bank; scarcer sig. combination.

370 **$20. Lyons & Roberts.** STATE NB of DENISON, **Texas.** RL "S". Close to Unc., not particularly crisp. Rare, as are all Texas items.

371 $20. **Napier & McClung.** DESERET NB OF SALT LAKE CITY, **Utah.** RL "P". Barely Fine, wrinkled. Signed by H. S. Young, Cashier. Grinnell 2933, as "very fine." Uncommonly rare and interesting.

Series of 1902 With Blue Seal; Without "1902-1908" On Back

372 **$5. Napier & McClung.** UTAH STATE NB OF SALT LAKE CITY, **Utah.** RL "P". Fine. Rare bank, scarce sig. combination.

373 $5. **Napier & Thompson.** WARREN NB, **Pennsylvania.** No RL; serial and treasury nos. identical. Ex. Fine. V. Rare signatures; valued at $35. New by Friedberg.

374 Another. Higher number. Close to Unc., slightly crinkled. Really rare, and unfortunately unappreciated.

Notes in this category, lacking the Regional Letters, seemingly have identical serial and treasury numbers. On the other hand, those with Regional Letters, retain the older idea of different numbering.

375 $5. **Parker & Burke.** FIRST NB IN DETROIT, **Mich.** No RL. Crisp Unc., beautifully centered. Pen signatures. Underrated so fine, and worth to $20. so.

376 $5. **Teehee & Burke.** CHASE NB OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, **New York.** No RL. Abt. Unc., close at the top obv. margin. Popular bank.

377 Another. Higher number; double instead of single plate letters. Different Presidential signature. Strictly Ex. Fine; uneven margins.

378 CHATHAM & PHENIX NB OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK. Also, LAFAYETTE NB OF BUFFALO. Both with RL "E". Fine and Ex. Fine. First has the huge signature of L. G. Kaufman as President, owner of the "Dollars of the World" collection sold by our N. Y. competitors some years back. Earlier, Kaufman was President of a Michigan bank. 2 Pcs.

379 $5. **Elliott & Burke.** NB OF IRON MOUNTAIN, **Mich. Serial No. 1,** from the first sheet printed. RL "M". Crisp Unc., although showing slight crinkling and a few very minor defects. Pen signatures, the one of the President highly unusual. Grinnell 1716. Rare and interesting.

Iron Mountain is located in the upper Michigan peninsula, near the Wisconsin border.

380 COMMUNITY NB OF BUFFALO, **New York.** No RL. Crisp Unc., nicely centered. Worth at least $15. so.

381 FIRST NB OF MOUNT VERNON. No RL. A "freak" note; broad vertical gutter crease towards the l. end, splitting the Harrison vignette in half. V. Good. Also, MERCHANTS NB OF BUFFALO. RL "E". Ex. Fine or so; sigs. badly faded. First interesting. 2 Pcs.

382 FIRST NB OF HAWAII AT HONOLULU, **Territory of Hawaii.** Charter No. 5550. No RL. Strictly Very Fine and rare. Worth a generous bid!

383 $5. **Speelman & White.** Three late '02 notes: MELROSE NB OF NEW YORK, **New York;** NB OF NIAGARA AND TRUST COMPANY OF NIAGARA FALLS; RIVERSIDE NB OF BUFFALO. Dated 1926, 22, 23. First and second without RL, last Serial No. 391, RL "E". Fine to V. Fine, the Melrose note irregularly torn at the bottom margin. 3 Pcs.

384 **$10. Lyons & Roberts.** CENTRAL NB OF BATTLE CREEK, **Mich.** No RL. Abt. Unc. Grinnell 1760. Scarce item.

385 MERCHANTS NB & TRUST COMPANY OF SYRACUSE, **New York. Serial No. 1** at both upper r. and lower l. No RL. Imprinted sigs. of Lyons & Roberts tiny, compared to the last and following two lots. Abt. Unc., creased at left centre. Pen signatures. Important type; really rare.

386 MANUFACTURERS AND TRADERS NB OF BUFFALO. RL "E". Two similar examples, Ex. Fine or so. 2 Pcs.

387 BANK OF NORTH AMERICA, PHILADELPHIA, **Pa.** Charter No. 602. RL "E". Very Good. Large, impressive Cashier's signature. Very rare.

This is the only National Bank chartered without the term "National" in its title. It was organized in 1781, having been founded by Robert Morris.

388 $10. **Napier & McClung.** DESERET NB OF SALT LAKE CITY, **Utah.** RL "P". Fine. Sgd. by H. S. Young, Cashier. See lot 371 above. Rare and valuable.

389 **$20. Lyons & Roberts.** FIRST NB OF WHITING, **Ind.** No RL. Uncirculated; nice margins. Not absolutely perfect. Pen sigs. Listed by Friedberg at $47.50 and worth it, being seldom found crisp.

SMALL SIZE NATIONAL BANK NOTES

Series 1929; Jones & Woods; Small Brown Seal

Without Additional Charter Numbers in Brown

390 **$5.** NATIONAL CITY BANK OF DENVER, **Colo.** Serial No. **A000001A.** Crisp Unc.

391 $5. PEOPLES NB OF RICHMOND, **Kansas.** Serial No. **B000001A.** Choice Unc., one or two insignificant marginal defects. These "No. 1" notes will never be cheaper.

Ex. Rare Transitional National Bank Trio

392 $5. **FIRST NB IN DETROIT, Michigan.** Serial No. **B000001A;** sgd. D. Dwight Douglas, President, Geo. S. Hoppin, Jr., Cashier. $5. **FIRST WAYNE NB OF DETROIT.** Serial No. **C000001A;** sgd. Donald N. Sweeny, President, Geo. S. Hoppin, Jr., Cashier. $5. **FIRST NB DETROIT**. Serial No. **C000001A;** sigs. as last. **Each with identical Charter No. 10527.** Superb, crisp Unc. Of considerable importance and rarity; a truly magnificent display item! Worth a top bid. 3 Pcs.

During the time the above notes were issued, there were several bank consolidations in Detroit. A Treasury Department ruling ordered a change in any bank's title that altered

its structure in any way, providing that the bank wished to retain its original charter number. The above bank initially operated under the name "First National Bank in Detroit." It then changed to the "First Wayne National Bank of Detroit," and finally, to "First National Bank, Detroit." The Charter number remains the same. While there have been instances (and undoubtedly notes) involving two changes, the three changes illustrated here, together with the availability of the notes, is most extraordinary. Only a very few sets of these No. 1 bills can possibly exist; see lots 5857-59A, the Grinnell sale, Nov. 30, 1946.

393 $5. FARMERS NB IN PILGER, **Nebr.** Serial No. **A000001A.** Choice, crisp Unc., except for a small crease in the upper r. hand corner. Uncommon.

394 $5. LINCOLN NB OF BUFFALO, **New York.** Very Fine. Valued by Friedberg at $10. so.

395 $5. AMERICAN NB AND TRUST COMPANY OF VALLEY CITY, **North Dakota.** Serial No. **A000001A.** Crisp Unc. Scarce.

396 $5. FIRST NB OF CAMDEN, **Ohio.** Serial No. **B000001A.** Crisp Uncirculated. These No. 1 notes are generally priced at about $20.00.

397 $5. THIRD NB AND TRUST COMPANY OF DAYTON. Serial No. **A000001A.** Unc. Not perfect; ever so slightly soiled at the top obv. margin and corners, each upper corner with a tiny crease.

398 $5. FARMERS AND MERCHANTS NB OF HENNESSEY, **Oklahoma.** Serial No. **A000001A.** Crisp Unc. Rare.

399 $5. CITIZENS NB OF PORTLAND, **Oregon.** Serial No. **A000001A.** Choice Unc., few microscopic obv. soil marks. Scarce western item.

400 $5. FIRST NB OF AMBLER, **Pennsylvania.** Serial No. **E000001A.** Just about perfect; a hair's breadth from full crispness.

401 $5. **FIRST NB OF PHILADELPHIA. Charter No. 1.** Serial No. **D000001A;** plate letter **"J".** Crisp Unc. As important and valuable as any 1929 National Bank Note. Seldom offered.

402 Similar. Serial No. **E000001A;** plate letter **"K".** Crisp Unc. Worth, like the last, a really generous bid.

403 A third. Serial No. **F000001A;** plate letter **"L".** Mostly crisp Unc., partial (unimportant) corner crease at the bottom r. margin. One of these notes from the first sheet printed for the first Chartered bank, belongs in every important collection of reduced size National Bank Notes.

404 $5. NB OF ROYERSFORD. Serial No. **C000001A.** Crisp Unc. Autographed signatures of the President and Cashier, immediately beneath their printed signatures. Another exceptional display item!

405 $5. FIRST NB AND TRUST COMPANY OF CHAMBERLAIN, **South Dakota.** Serial No. **A000001A.** Perfect Unc.

406 $5. DESERET NB OF SALT LAKE CITY, **Utah.** Serial No. **B000003A.** Crisp Unc. A really rare and historical tie-in note.

407 $5. FIRST NB OF STANWOOD, **Washington.** Serial No. **A000001A.** Fully crisp, except for hardly visible soiling at the upper l. obverse corner, and a crease at the upper r. V. Scarce western bill.

408 $5. FIRST NB OF EDGERTON, **Wisconsin.** Serial No. **A000001A.** Crisp Unc.

409 **$10. & $20.** FIRST NB OF NESQUEHONING, **Pa.** Identical Serial Nos. **A000001A.** Crisp Unc. Both pen autographed by the President and Cashier, immediately above their printed signatures. A really beautiful and impressive pair, worth perhaps $75.00. 2 Pcs.

Charter Numbers in Brown, next to Serial Numbers

410 **$5.** COMMERCIAL NB OF LITTLE ROCK, **Arkansas.** High Charter No. 14000. Choice Unc., almost perfect. Rare southern note.

In May, 1933, the Treasury Department changed their system of numbering to conform with the other issues of currency. Previously (including the greater part of the '29 Series emission), each note on a sheet of Nationals bore the same number. With the new system, each note on a sheet had its numbers in sequence. It was then possible to detect counterfeits of National Bank Notes by the number and check letter. Also, on this last issue, the Charter No. was repeated twice upon each note, next to the Serial Number(s), also in brown.

411 $5. **FIRST NB AND TRUST COMPANY OF NEW HAVEN, Conn. Charter No. 2.** Serial No. **A000002.** Crisp Uncirculated; hardly visible soil mark at the extreme l. obverse margin, undoubtedly a minor manufacturing fault. A very important and valuable display note.

412 $5. HAMILTON NB OF WASHINGTON, **Dist. of Columbia.** Serial No. A100000. Choice Unc. These "double charter" bills are much harder to obtain than the first type, lacking the charter number in brown (as well as black).

413 $5. CITY NB OF COUNCIL BLUFFS, **Iowa.** Serial No. **A000001.** Crisp Unc., a beauty. Rare.

414 $5. FIRST NB OF FLEMING, **Kentucky.** Serial No. **A000001.** Crisp Unc. Scarce.

415 $5. NB OF LEWISTOWN, **Montana.** Serial No. **A000001.** Equally crisp Unc. These notes should bring $25. today!

416 $5. NB OF LEBANON, **New Hamsphire.** Charter No. 808. Serial No. **A000001.** Crisp Unc.

417 $5. BLACKSTONE CANAL NB OF PROVIDENCE, **Rhode Island.** Serial No. **A000001.** Choice Unc., but with a slight crease at the upper r. hand corner.

418 **$5. & $20. FIRST NB OF PHILADELPHIA, Pa. Charter No. 1.** The $5. Type 1 (No additional Charter number at serial nos.); the $20. Type 2 (With additional Charter numbers). Serial Nos. **B000001A; A000001.** Crisp Unc. A valuable and highly desirable pair, of the very first bank chartered, showing both '29 types. Worthy of careful consideration. V. Rare. 2 Pcs.

419 **Federal Reserve Bank Note. $20.** 1929. Jones & Woods. Larger brown seal. FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF KANSAS CITY, Mo. Sigs. of Governor and Cashier. **Serial No. J00000006A.** Crisp, choice Unc. Very rare, far more so than is generally realized. This low numbered beauty should bring at least $75.00.

Compound Interest Treasury Notes

420 **$10.** Act of June 30, 1864; dated **Aug. 15, 1864.** Colby & Spinner. Small red seal. Portrait of Salmon P. Chase l., without light filigree work in corner; Eagle holding flag, centre; Peace holding wheat, r. Surcharged in gold lettering on face "COMPOUND INTEREST / TREASURY NOTE / 10." No. 145058. Very Fine, few minute and unimportant defects. Very rare, the face value $11.94. Valued by Friedberg at $200. Fine.

421 $10. Similar to last. Dated **Dec. 15, 1864.** Chase Vignette l., filigree work in corner. Gold overprint now tarnished green. No. 363849. Fine to V. Fine. Hardly as bright as the preceding, but then not as creased or handled. RR; face value $11.94. In great demand by "type" collectors.

422 **$20.** Act of June 30, 1864; dated **Aug. 15, 1864.** Colby & Spinner. Small red seal. Oval portrait of Lincoln, right; Victory seated at left; Mortar firing, lower c. Surcharged in gold lettering on face "COMPOUND INTEREST / TREASURY NOTE / 20." No. 29482. While at first glance appearing Fine, this note shows several minute tears and flaws, mainly at the top edge. More important, there are several spots where the gold letters (and handling) have disintegrated the paper. Still, important and difficult to locate, being considerably rarer than the $10. denomination. Redemption value $23.88.

SMALL CALIFORNIA GOLD COINS

Interest in this fascinating series has steadily increased within recent years. A few months ago, Mr. R. H. Burnie of Pascagoula, Miss., published his long awaited book on the subject, "Small California and Territorial Gold Coins, Quarter Dollars, Half Dollars, Dollars." While this splendid offering from the Clarke collection has been carefully cataloged according to Burnie's descriptions, the possibility of error always exists. Therefore, we would suggest examination of any lot, wherever our description raises a question. Of course, all of our attributions are guaranteed, as is the case with any material that we handle.

Generally, the valuations given are not ours, but are based entirely upon the Burnie "Valuation Tables," listed towards the rear of his book. However, valuations in bold face are our own. None of these valuations should be considered as estimates, but only as a rough guide, somewhat on the high side. Each lot will sell at the highest bid received, regardless of any figures given herewith. A price list of this sale would be of tremendous value to the specialist, and is of course free to each bidder. It is available to others at 50¢ per copy.

Quarter Dollars, Octagon

423 **1853. Burnie 4;** Lee 4. Large Liberty head, four stars. Rev. Within a beaded circle, ¼ DOLLAR 1853. DOLLAR curved, 8 weak. Very Fine or better, old and unimportant dent near ear; faintly prooflike surface. ($6.00)

424 1853. **Burnie 6;** L-6. Small Liberty head, nine stars. Rev. of B-4. Obverse weakly struck, but apparently unworn; reverse sharp and prooflike, and better struck up than on B-4. About Unc. ($8.00)

425 **1854. Burnie 8;** L-7. Large Liberty head, four stars. Rev. Similar, but DOLLAR straight, and date 1854; 4 cut over another figure, possibly a 3. Brilliant Unc. "gem." Ex Henry Chapman. ($12.00)

426 1854. **Burnie 9;** L-8. Large Liberty head, five stars. Rev. As last, but perfect date and crooked, recut DOLLAR. Brill. Unc. Prooflike, but not quite like the later proofs. Tiny (manufacturing) defect below 18 in date. ($10.00)

427 1854. **Burnie 10;** L-9. Small Liberty head, eleven stars; fine style. Rev. ¼ DOL. in wreath; twelve berries. Cleaned Proof. Reverse at least as well struck as the obv. which is evidently almost never the case, as Burnie makes rev. weakness part of his description. ($10.00)

428 1854. **Type of B-11, L-10, but plain border on reverse.** Obv. of B-10; Rev. ¼ DOLLAR in wreath with nineteen berries. Ex. Fine, cross scratched on face. Odd streaked planchet. **($12.50)**

429 **1855. Burnie 13;** L-12. Large Liberty head, four stars; type of B-8, slightly differing dies. Rev. Possibly altered from the B-9 die. Cleaned Proof, exceptionally sharp borders. Bent (as made), as the coin is evenly convex upwards, rather than with a ridge. **($10.00)**

430 1855. **Burnie 14;** L-13. Small Liberty head, twelve stars. Rev. ¼ DOLLAR 1855 within wreath; twenty berries, ten each side. (Burnie gives sixteen berries, but he fails to count the four next to ribbons.) EF-AU, evidently cleaned like many of these (to remove tarnish acquired by the base gold). Defective planchet with several chips out of it. Comparatively well struck. ($12.00)

431 **1856. Burnie 15;** L-14. Large Liberty head, eight stars; FD on coronet. Rev. ¼ DOLLAR 1856 in beaded circle, the numerator joining one bead at top. Just about Unc. ($10.00)

432 1856. **Burnie 16;** L-15. Small Liberty head, twelve stars; same die as B-14 (not so mentioned by Burnie, but the coins prove it). Rev. ¼ DOLLAR 1856 in wreath with twenty-four berries; exceptionally well designed and struck for this series. (Burnie must have had a miserably struck example, as this piece is much less crude than his description suggests.) Choice Proof, practically perfect. **($11.50)**

433 **1859. Burnie 21;** L-17. Large Liberty head, eight stars. Rev. ¼ DOLLAR 1859 in wreath without berries; R recut. Unc., some proof surface; just about perfect. ($10.00)

434 1859. **Unpublished; not in Burnie or Lee.** Large Liberty head, ten stars. Rev. Identical to preceding. Obv. of B-31 (L-24) of 1864; Rev. of B-21. Obverse die with heavy traces of wreath, exactly as on the 1864 muling. Ex. Fine plus. Undoubtedly RRR. **($30.00)**

435 **1860. Burnie 24;** L-20. Small Liberty head, fifteen stars; G under head. Rev. ¼ DOLLAR 1860 in wreath without berries. V. Fine or better, weak strike. Rarer than most. ($12.00)

436 **1863. Burnie 29;** L-23. Similar obverse to last. Rev. Value in shield; wreath without berries. We'll call this one About Unc., as the proof surface is lightly scratched though evidently without wear. Obverse border serrated, where Burnie describes it as plain, apparently from a weaker example. Significantly enough, he values it only in VF-EF, and then at $15.00. Evidently RR. **($25.00)**

437 **1864. Burnie 31;** L-24. Large Liberty head, ten stars. Rev. ¼ DOLLAR 1864 within crude wreath; fourteen berries. V. Fine; weak, flat strike from injured dies. ($8.00)

438 1864. **Type of B-33, L-26; reverse differing from Burnie's description.** Small Liberty head, fifteen stars, G under head; LIB on coronet. Rev. Value in shield; wreath without berries. The obv. certainly B-33; rev. different. Wreath said to have three ties and two long "rib-bands" looking like open end wrenches. On this coin there are no ties, and the wreath seems to be formed of two crossed branches without ribbons. Just about Unc., proof surface, stain on face. **($45.00)**

439 **1866. Type of B-38, L-29; reverse slightly different.** Large Liberty head, nine stars. Rev. ¼ DOLLAR 1866 in wreath with eight berries. There is doubt about this reverse die; the "loops" in bow are above and below crossed branches, not left and right. Brill. Unc., obv. weakly struck but prooflike. **($13.50)**

440 1866. **Unpublished; "Lee 29a."** Small Liberty head, thirteen stars; G about centered between bust and border. Rev. ¼ (in shield) DOLLAR 1866 within wreath, twenty-two berries; final 6 recut, date slants down to right. Slightly hairmarked Proof. RRRR. **($35.00)**

441 1866. **Unpublished; "Lee 29b."** As last, but G much nearer bust; coronet point farther from sixth star. Rev. Wreath with eighteen berries, one of them touching tail of R. Choice Proof. RRRR. **($40.00)**

442 **1867. Type of B-41, L-30; reverse differing from Burnie's description.** Large Liberty head, nine stars. Rev. ¼ DOLLAR 1867 within wreath. Obv. B-41. The

reverse wreath more open and not closing on 1 in fraction; that digit well formed with full serifs, double punched, and leaning to r. R does not quite touch wreath. Border strongly serrated, not weakly beaded. Full mint brilliance, faint rubbing on high points of hair only. **($16.50)**

443 1867. **Burnie 42;** L-31. Small Liberty head, thirteen minute stars; G under head. Rev. ¼ (in shield) DOLLAR 1867 within wreath, twenty berries; 1 in date almost invisible. Burnie's description says "About eighteen berries," but this piece distinctly shows twenty. Ex. Fine, former Proof. ($10.00)

444 **1868. Unpublished; not in Burnie or Lee.** Large Liberty head, nine stars; superficially similar to B-43, L-32, but with well-formed five-pointed stars, the sixth farther from hair. This obverse die used on B-48, L-36. Rev. ¼ DOLLAR 1868 within wreath, twenty-four berries; die break joins lower right wreath to border. Not B-43A (Menjou 2547), as chin does not point to first star. Mint State, few black (easily removable) stains. **($12.50)**

445 1868. **Burnie 44;** L-33. Small Liberty head, thirteen stars; G under head. Rev. ¼ (in shield) DOLLAR 1868 in wreath with kidney-shaped knot. Slightly hairmarked Proof. ($9.00)

446 **1869. Burnie 48;** L-36. Obverse of lot 444 above. Rev. ¼ DOLLAR 1869 within wreath, fraction and DOLLAR irregular and double cut. Brilliant Unc. "gem." ($10.00)

447 1869. **Burnie 50;** L-37. Small Liberty head, thirteen stars, first opposite chin (is this obv. the same as B-43A?); G under head. Rev. ¼ (in shield) DOLLAR 1869 within wreath, fourteen berries; kidney-shaped loop. Dull tarnished Proof; rusted dies. ($9.00)

448 1869. **Burnie 52;** L-38. Obverse as last. Rev. Similar, but eighteen berries; second L touches base point of shield. Slightly hairmarked Proof; struck before B-50, as dies perfect. ($9.00)

449 **1870. Burnie 53;** L-39. Large Liberty head, nine stars. Rev. ¼ (small, weak) DOLLAR 1870 within wreath; nine berries left, six right. Unc., but some flaking which reveals the base metal flan composition. ($8.50)

450 1870. **Unpublished; not in Burnie or Lee.** Small Liberty head, thirteen stars; **Horizontal G under head.** Rev. ¼ DOLLAR 1870 within wreath; eleven berries, no ribbons. A almost solid; very long fraction bar almost rests on 4. Beaded borders; reeded edge. Slightly spotty Proof. **Unique,** to our knowledge. Enlarged **Plate** **($75.00)**

451 1870. **Burnie 56;** L-40. Small Liberty head, thirteen stars; G under head. Extra lock dangles behind head. Rev. ¼ DOLLAR 1870 within wreath; about six attempts at berries. Bright, although faintly hairmarked Proof. Not in the 1950 Menjou offering. ($9.00)

452 1870. **Burnie 57;** L-41. Similar to last, but date below G. Rev. ¼ DOLLAR CAL in wreath; nine berries. Weakly struck, lightly hairmarked Proof. ($8.50)

453 1870. **Burnie 60;** L-43. Obverse as preceding. Rev. Similar to last, but with period after CAL., and eight berries, two beneath CAL. Abt. Unc., proof surface. Not in Menjou sale. ($6.00)

454 1870. **Unpublished; not in Burnie or Lee.** Type of two above; obverse die of B-58, reverse of B-80, with seven berries in wreath, LA recut. Brilliant, but faintly hairmarked Proof. Undoubtedly rare, like most of these unknown to Burnie. **($13.50)**

455 1870. **Burnie 62;** L-45. Small Liberty head, thirteen stars; G under head. Rev. ¼ (in shield) DOLLAR 1870 within wreath; twenty-one (?) berries, two detached near R. EF-AU, prooflike, hardly visible scratches. ($6.50)

456 **1871. Burnie 63;** L-46. Large Liberty head, six stars. Rev. ¼ DOLLAR 1871 in wreath; seven (?) small berries. Unc., a little dull. Rare, lacking in Menjou. ($12.50)

457 1871. **Burnie 64;** L-47. Large Liberty head, nine stars. Rev. ¼ DOLLAR 1871 high in wreath; two berries on leaves of right branch, a third in field to right. Superb Unc. "gem." Scarce, also not in Menjou. ($8.00)

458 1871. **Burnie 66;** L-49. Obverse as last. Rev. Similar, two berries each side; R does not touch wreath. Brill. Unc., faintly hairmarked. ($8.00)

459 1871. **Burnie 69;** L-52. Small Liberty head, thirteen stars; G and date under head. Rev. ¼ DOLLAR CAL in wreath without berries. Hairmarked Proof. Not in Menjou. Probably scarcer than believed, as that offering was unusually complete. ($8.50)

460 1871. **Burnie 70;** L-53. A minor variant of last. Rev. Four berries in wreath (Burnie says three, but this shows four), otherwise somewhat similar. Dull, hairmarked Proof. Likewise not in Menjou. ($10.00)

461 1871. **Burnie 71;** L-54. Obverse as preceding. Rev. Similar, but nine berries in wreath, one of them serving as a period after CAL. Finely serrated border; plain edge. Hairmarked Proof. ($8.50)

462 1871. **Burnie 76;** L-57. Small Liberty head, thirteen stars; L under head. Rev. Same die as the last. Dull Proof, probably cleaned long ago. Very rare. Burnie did not know that this had the same reverse as his No. 71. This establishes a connection between the "G" series and the "L" series. ($25.00)

463 **1872. Burnie 78;** L-59. Large Liberty head, thirteen stars. Rev. ¼ DOLLAR CAL in wreath, no berries. Slightly cloudy Proof. Not in Menjou. ($15.00)

464 1872. **Burnie 79;** L-60. **Washington head,** thirteen stars. Rev. Same die as the last, faintly cracked across. Brill. Unc. A "gem," the finest we have seen. This piece proves the connection between the Washingtons and Large Liberty heads, as suspected by Burnie (p. 7). Very rare. Ex Lee coll. ($40.00)

465 1872. **Burnie 80;** L-61. **Washington head;** type of last. Actually in terms of Burnie's description, this could be called Obv. B-79, Rev. B-80; but the difference is one of alignment of dies and planchet. Rev. Similar to last; seven berries, period after CAL. VF/EF, apparently a former proof. Very rare. ($25.00)

466 1872. **Burnie 81;** L-62. **Washington head,** thirteen stars; period after date. Rev. ¼ in centre; CALIFORNIA GOLD * CHARM * around. Brill. Unc. "gem," prooflike. RR. ($40.00)

467 1872. **Burnie 82;** L-63. **Washington head;** obverse B-79 (not so mentioned by Burnie). Rev. ¼ GOLD in center; CALIFORNIA * CHARM * around. Ex. Fine, soiled; tiny rev. dent in c., which has slightly bent coin. Not in Menjou. Really rare, seldom offered. ($30.00)

468 1872. **Burnie 87;** L-67. Large Indian head, thirteen stars; similar to B-86, but last star a little farther from head. Rev. ¼ DOLLAR CAL. within wreath; twenty-two berries. Slightly hairmarked Proof. ($8.50)

469 **1873. Type of B-91, L-70; obverse differing from Burnie's description.** Large Liberty head; thirteen stars. Obv. of B-90, perfect. Rev. ¼ DOLLAR CAL in wreath without berries; same as B-78, 79. Brilliant Unc. Extra nice. **($18.50)**

470 1873. **Burnie 92;** L-71. Obverse like that of preceding. Rev. Same as that of B-80; seven berries on wreath, period after CAL. Splendid Unc. "gem." Unimprovable. ($17.50)

471 **1874. Burnie 96;** L-74. Small Liberty head, thirteen five-pointed stars. Rev. ¼ DOLLAR CAL in wreath; twelve berries. Brill. Unc. Prooflike, but slightly hairmarked. Menjou's was only EF. ($7.50)

472 1874. **Burnie 97A;** L-75. Large Indian head, thirteen stars. Rev. ¼ DOLLAR CAL in wreath; twenty-three berries. Brilliant Proof. Probably the crudest of this type. ($8.50)

473 **1875. Burnie 100A?;** similar to L-76. Large Indian head, thirteen stars. Rev. Same as last. This obverse differs from B-100, 100A, 100B, but is most similar to B-100A. However, twelfth star does not touch border; several on left are recut. Die break over fifth star. Does not seem to be a "striking variance." Hairmarked Proof. ($12.50)

474 1875. **Burnie 102;** not in Lee. Small Indian head, thirteen stars; small date 1875, 5 recut. Rev. ¼ DOLLAR CAL within wreath; fifteen berries. Head has seven feathers, differing from B-101 (eight feathers). Brill. Unc., prooflike; die defect at C in CAL upon rev. ($10.00)

475 Duplicate. Like the last, but a few signs of handling; copper shows through on reverse edge. ($7.50)

476 **1876. Burnie 103;** L-77. Large Liberty head, thirteen stars, sixth united to coronet. Rev. ¼ DOLLAR CAL in wreath; ten berries. Dull Proof, weakly struck. ($10.00)

477 1876. **Burnie 105B;** not in Lee (similar to L-78). Large Indian head, thirteen stars. Rev. ¼ DOLLAR within wreath; twenty-three berries. Brilliant Proof; no rim break. ($15.00)

478 1876. **Unpublished; not in Burnie or Lee.** Small Indian head, ten feathers; thirteen five-pointed stars with hollow centers. Rev. Same die as B-103 (above). Differs from both B-106, 108, the only two previously known 1876 varieties with small Indian head. Choice Proof. Of considerable rarity. **($40.00)**

479 1876. **Burnie 107;** L-80. Large Indian head, thirteen stars. Rev. ¼ DOLLAR CAL in wreath; twenty-four berries. Brilliant, but faintly hairmarked Proof. Menjou's only Unc. ($8.50)

480 **1880. Burnie 116;** L-83. Large Indian head, five stars left, eight right. Rev. ¼

DOLLAR CAL in wreath with about twenty berries. Brill. Unc., prooflike lustre. ($7.50)

481 **1881. Burnie 120C;** not in Lee (similar to L-84). Large Indian head, thirteen stars; large date with 81 touching hair and border. Six stars at l., larger than the seven r. Rev. ¼ DOLLAR in wreath; twenty-two berries. Obv. Unc. (from rusty die); Rev. Proof. ($10.00)

482 1881. **Unpublished; not in Burnie or Lee.** Same obverse as the last. Rev. New, similar to preceding, but tail of R joins leaf, fraction much farther from LL; DOLLAR slants up. Brilliant, but faintly hairmarked Proof. RRR. **($25.00)**

Quarter Dollars, Round

483 **No date. Burnie 1;** L-1. Small Liberty head, ten stars. Rev. * ¼ DOLLAR in wreath; about twenty berries. Unc., rather dull. Lightly hairmarked. Rather rare and valuable. ($35.00)

484 No date. **Burnie 3;** L-2. Same obverse as the last. Rev. * ¼ DOLLAR * within wreath; fourteen berries. Brill. Unc., beautiful sharp strike. Obverse frosty, which is not often the case on these small coins. Probably rarer than B-1, as Menjou had none. ($35.00)

485 No date. **Burnie 5;** L-3A. Small Liberty head. Gruner type (see Octagonal Quarter B-10, p. 1 of Burnie); eleven stars. Rev. ¼ DOLLAR * in wreath, twenty-three berries; D and R not touching. Obv. "gem" Unc., reverse faintly hairmarked Proof; die cracked at lower r. ($15.00)

486 Duplicate. Another B-5, this one struck before the die cracked on rev. Brill. Unc. Of "gem" grade, but for light reverse scratch. Choice and well struck. ($13.50)

487 No date. **Burnie 6;** L-4. Small Liberty head, Gruner type; twelve stars, bust joins second. Rev. ¼ DOLLAR in wreath; fourteen berries. Unc., slightly cloudy; faintly hairmarked. Not in Menjou; presumably rare. ($15.00)

488 Duplicate. Almost the exact mate to last in condition. This particular one was mistakenly obtained as "Unlisted." ($15.00)

489 No date. **Burnie 8;** L-5. Same obverse as the last. Rev. ¼ DOLLAR * in wreath with about nineteen berries; wreath closed on numerator by die break. Unc. Slightly prooflike, ever so lightly hairmarked. ($15.00)

490 No date. **Burnie 9;** L-6. Very similar to last, but obverse die shows star not quite touching bust, and joined by die break to border; spine from coronet point. Rev. Die of B-8, severely broken, one berry obliterated by the break. Unc., minute edge nick. Estimated at $10. EF as "rare" in the 1950 sale. ($10.00)

491 No date. **Burnie 11;** L-8. Actually, this variety is B-9 before the die break closed top of wreath. The general appearance differs enough to have merited a new number. Brill. Unc., prooflike, faintly hairmarked as often seen. Also "rare" in Menjou. ($9.00)

492 No date. **Unpublished; not in Burnie or Lee.** Small Liberty head (similar to B-1), twelve crude stars; bust joins second. Rev. * ¼ D O L L . in wreath; berry on each side of heart-shaped bow. No other coin with this spelling reported. Prooflike, faintly scratched. Believed unique. Enlarged **Plate** **($50.00)**

493 No date. Likewise **Unpublished.** Same obverse. Rev. ¼ (very large) DOLLAR in crude wreath with about sixteen berries, some stemless. Beaded ring encircles wreath; beads face edge. About like the last, and probably of equal rarity. **($40.00)**

494 No date. **Burnie 12A;** variant of L-9. Small Liberty head, similar to last, twelve stars; first touches bust, sixth joins coronet point. Rev. Die of B-3. The obverse border is a beaded circle with the beads facing the rim; heavy rim break over fourth and fifth stars and halfway to sixth. Unc., a little hairmarked. Called "unique" by Burnie. ($40.00)

495 No date. **Burnie 15;** L-11. Small Liberty head, similar to B-1; thirteen stars, first star joins bust point. Rev. **25 CENTS** in an almost closed wreath; seventeen berries. S in CENTS very high; large triangular bow. Brilliant, prooflike Unc. One of the best known rarities in the series. Only 3 or 4 said to exist. Enlarged **Plate** ($150.00)

496 No date. **Burnie 16;** L-12? Small Liberty Head, Gruner type; thirteen stars, G below head. Rev. ¼ DOLLAR CAL. in wreath, no berries. Slightly cloudy Proof. Reeded edge, not plain as Burnie says; wreath simply two crossed branches, no ties or "ribbands." Valued at $25. Unc., this one worth more. **($32.50)**

497 **1852. Burnie 17;** L-13. Large Indian head, thirteen stars. Rev. ¼ DOLLAR in wreath; about twenty-nine berries. Brilliant prooflike Unc. Minute planchet

defect at the right rev. side. ($15.00)

498 **1853. Unpublished; not in Burnie or Lee.** Obv. B-21; Rev. B-22A, "L-15A." Small Liberty head, similar to B-1; ten stars. Rev. ¼ DOLLAR 1853 (the 4 in fraction reversed) in crude wreath with about twelve berries; three heart-shaped bows. Reeded edge. Cracked obverse die. Very Fine; reddish toning. RR. **($20.00)**

499 1853. Likewise **Unpublished.** Same as last, but plain edge; perfect dies. Proof, not quite fully brilliant. Equally important and valuable. **($30.00)**

500 1853. **Burnie 25;** L-18. Very large, crude Liberty head; thirteen stars. Rev. ¼ DOLLAR 1 8 5 3 in open wreath; about sixteen berries, the date well curved. Round, somewhat heart-shaped bows above and below stems. Rudely struck Proof, much tarnished; planchet very defective on reverse. An extreme rarity, "reported" by Burnie. Worth whatever it will bring. **($45.00)**

501 1853. **Unpublished; not in Burnie, "Lee 19A."** Large well executed Liberty head, thirteen stars; **G G . below.** Rev. ¼ DOLLAR 1853, the 3 large, in crude wreath with twenty-three berries. Rather similar to B-21 and 22A; probably by the same engraver. Obverse with plain border, reverse beaded; plain edge. Proof, unimportant trace of gummy deposit. Compare Octagonal Half, B-7; Round Halves, B-30, 31; Octagonal Dollar, B-13; Round Dollar, B-3. Until this offering, no Quarter Dollar was known of the "G G" type. **Unique.** Enlarged **Plate** **($100.00)**

502 **1854. Burnie 30;** similar to L-22. **Eagle; thirteen stars. Rev. 25 CENTS** (all caps) **in wreath;** twelve berries. A choice Proof, not in full brilliancy. Excessively rare and valuable; unknown to Lee, and never seen by Burnie, only "reported." One of the three most valuable pieces in the entire series of small California Gold. Enlarged **Plate** ($300.00)

503 **1855. Burnie 32;** L-23. Small Liberty head, Gruner type; ten stars. Rev. ¼ DOLLAR 1855 in wreath; sixteen berries. Brilliant Proof on very defective planchet. Rare so. **($12.50)**

504 **1856. Burnie 35;** L-24. Same obverse. Rev. Type of last, only about twelve berries; weak as always. This is an Unc. example with some proof surface, but it has been poorly cleaned with an eraser. ($6.00)

505 1856. **Burnie 36;** L-26. Similar head, twelve stars; badly cracked die. Rev. Same as last; late state with parts of wreath disconnected. Choice Proof. Like 503 above, unmentioned by Burnie in Proof. **($12.50)**

506 Duplicate B-36. Brilliant Proof, rusted obverse die. Undoubtedly rare. **($12.50)**

507 **1859. Type of B-39, L-28, but reeded edge.** Large, crude Liberty head, ten stars. Rev. ¼ DOLLAR 1859 within wreath, the whole hopelessly crude; fraction divided by top leaves instead of bar. About eighteen berries. Brilliant Unc., prooflike. **($10.00)**

508 **1860. Burnie 41;** L-29. Obverse of B-36. Rev. ¼ DOLLAR 1860 (date slanting down to right) in wreath, no berries. Hairmarked Proof, possibly cleaned long ago, now retoning. Tiny edge nick. ($9.00)

509 **1864. Burnie 45;** L-31. Small Liberty head, fourteen five-pointed stars; tip of bust between two of them. Rev. ¼ DOLLAR 1864 in wreath, no berries. Unc., prooflike; poorly cleaned. Better struck (particularly on obv.) than Burnie's specimen; stars not crude, coronet point sharp. Rare, lacking in Menjou. ($15.00)

510 1864. **Type of B-46, L-32, but reeded edge.** Crude imitation of last; stars are blobs, tip of bust almost touches one; letters misplaced and recut. Proof, planchet somewhat granular as made. Said to be very rare, like the last. **($23.50)**

511 **1865. Burnie 50;** L-36. Obverse of B-39. Rev. ¼ D O L A (!) 1865 in wreath, the whole extremely crude. Brill. Unc., prooflike. Rare, valued by Burnie at $15. VF; unheard of in this remarkable preservation. RR. **($25.00)**

512 Duplicate. Another B-50, in identical condition to the last. Equally valuable. **($25.00)**

513 1865. Dies of **Burnie 53;** L-38. **Struck in** what appears to be somewhat impure **copper;** possibly a trial piece. Obverse of B-46, fourteen blobby attempts at stars. Rev. ¼ DOLLAR 1865 in wreath with eight berries. Ex. Fine or so, tarnished. First we have ever seen or heard of. **($15.00)**

514 **1866. Burnie 56;** L-40. Large Liberty head, seven five-pointed stars. Rev. ¼ DOLLAR 1866 in open wreath with nineteen berries. Poorly struck Proof, slightly hairmarked. ($17.50)

515 1866. **Burnie 58;** L-41. Small Liberty head, Gruner type; thirteen stars, G below

head. Rev. ¼ DOLLAR 1866 in wreath; twenty-two berries. Brilliant, but faintly hairmarked (common in the manufacture of these minute coins) Proof. Very rare; unknown to Burnie in Proof, valued by him at $30. Unc. **($37.50)**

516 **1867. Burnie 59;** L-42. Obverse of B-56. Rev. ¼ DOLLAR 1867 in open wreath, the whole crude. Brilliant Unc. "gem." ($12.50)

517 1867. **Burnie 61;** variant of L-43. Small Liberty head, thirteen stars, fifth and seventh very tiny; G below head. Rev. ¼ DOLLAR 1867 in fragmentary wreath with about twenty-two berries. Prooflike Unc., cleaned, now dull. ($8.00)

518 **1868. Burnie 62;** L-44. Obverse of B-56, 59. Rev. ¼ DOLLAR 1868 in open wreath, seventeen berries, crudely engraved. Brilliant, frosty Unc., just about Superb. ($12.50)

519 **1869. Burnie 67;** L-50. Small Liberty head, thirteen crude stars; G under head. Rev. ¼ DOLLAR 1869 (well aligned) in fragmented wreath with twenty berries, one ending each branch. Hairmarked Proof. ($10.00)

520 1869. **Burnie 68;** L-51. Same obverse die as last, ground down and repolished; hair and coronet disconnected, etc. Rev. ¼ (thick, heavy) DOLLAR 1869 in wreath with twenty berries, all in pairs. Cleaned Proof. Probably rare; Menjou had none. ($15.00)

521 **1870. Burnie 69B;** L-52. Obverse of B-56, 59, 62. Rev. ¼ DOLLAR 1870 in wreath with about fourteen (?) berries, several imbedded in leaves; ribbon coiled around branches. Brill. Unc. A "gem," though weakly struck. ($7.50)

522 1870. **Burnie 69A;** L-52A. As last, but weak reverse; see Burnie's description. Cleaned Proof. ($8.50)

523 1870. **Burnie 70;** L-54. Small, crude Liberty head, thirteen stars. Rev. ¼ DOLLAR 1870 in fragmentary wreath; about sixteen berries. Similar to Octagonal Quarter B-55. Proof, the planchet granular and defective as made. Former owner called this RR, mentioning a $9. record. ($8.50)

524 1870. **Burnie 71;** L-55 (variant in striking). Small Liberty head, thirteen stars; date and G below. Rev. ¼ DOLLAR CAL. in wreath, no berries. Brilliant Proof. ($8.50)

525 1870. **Type of B-73** (may be B-73B, 73D), **"Lee 55A."** Small Liberty head, imitation of the Gruner type; thirteen tiny stars, G below head. Almost the same as the B-67 obverse, but stars spaced slightly differently. First star above tip of neck. Plain coronet without letters. Rev. ¼ DOLLAR 1870 in crude wreath with seven berries (an eighth serving for knot); date almost touches ribbon, figures spread apart. Die broken across, through ¼, L and 7. Cleaned Proof. Doubtless rare. **($10.00)**

526 **1871. Burnie 75;** L-57. Obverse same as B-56, 59, 62, 69. Rev. ¼ DOLLAR 1871 in crude wreath with eight berries, one joining tail of R. Brilliant Unc. "gem." ($7.50)

527 Duplicate. A second B-75, fully equal to the last, but with some dark toning. ($7.50)

528 1871. **Type of B-76, L-58, but three berries on rev.** (not five as in Burnie's description). Large Liberty head, type of B-56; thirteen stars, date below. Rev. ¼ DOLLAR CAL. in wreath; fraction and letters exceptionally well engraved. "Gem" Unc., almost Superb. **($10.00)**

529 1871. **Burnie 77;** L-59. Small Liberty head, thirteen stars; G and date below, the 7 too low. Rev. ¼ DOLLAR CAL. in wreath without berries. V. Fine. Somewhat bent and dented, but better than it sounds. ($5.00)

530 1871. **Burnie 79;** L-60. Same obverse die. Rev. ¼ DOLLAR C A L in fragmented wreath; twelve berries. Brilliant, but slightly cloudy Proof. ($8.50)

531 1871. **Burnie 80;** L-A5. Small Liberty head copying that on the quarter eagle; thirteen tiny stars, wide date and small H below. Rev. ¼ DOLLAR CAL in wreath, 16 berries; sans-serif lettering. Type of Octagonal Quarter B-75. Brill. Unc. Rare. ($15.00)

532 1871. **Burnie 82;** L-A5B. Larger head of same design, larger blobs for stars; close date, larger H below. Rev. Type of last but larger letters, differing wreath with fourteen berries. Abt. Unc., some proof surface. Rarer than last. ($17.50)

533 1871. **Burnie 83;** L-61. Small Liberty head, imitation of B-77; thirteen stars, L and date below. Rev. ¼ DOLLAR CAL. in wreath with seven berries, one where absent knot should be. Dull Proof. Probably cleaned, like many of these. Rare. ($22.50)

534 **1872. Burnie 84;** L-62. Large Liberty head, thirteen stars; obv. similar to B-76, except for date. Rev. Die of B-76. Abt. Unc., bent but otherwise uninjured. ($6.50)

535 1872. **Unpublished; not in Burnie or Lee.** Obv. B-86; Rev. B-85, similar to L-63. **Washington head,** thirteen small five-pointed stars. Rev. ¼ DOLLAR CAL. in wreath, far superior to B-76 and 84, with thirteen berries; L in CAL recut. Brill. Unc., almost a "gem." Very rare and valuable. Enlarged **Plate** **($85.00)**

536 1872. **Burnie 88;** L-64. Large Indian head, thirteen stars; back of 2 joined by die break to border. Rev. ¼ DOLLAR CAL. in wreath with twenty-three berries (Burnie only counted twenty-two). Cleaned Proof; microscopic planchet defects on reverse. ($8.50)

537 Duplicate of the last. Same condition. ($8.50)

538 **1873. Burnie 93;** L-68. Large Liberty head, thirteen stars; head like B-76, 84. Rev. Die of B-85. "Gem" Unc., weakly struck in centers. ($12.50)

539 **1874. Burnie 102;** L-74. Large Indian head, thirteen stars. Rev. Same as B-88, the die now cracked vertically across through both L's and right side of bow. Brill. Proof. ($8.50)

540 **1876. Type of B-118, L-82; reverse differing from Burnie's description.** Type as last; stars smaller, gap between third and fourth; 8 recut, 6 filled. Rev. ¼ DOLLAR CAL in thinner wreath with about eighteen or nineteen berries; DO too high. Differs from Burnie's description in not having kidney shaped bow knot. Brilliant Proof, slightly defective flan. Undoubtedly quite rare. **($20.00)**

541 **1876. Burnie 121;** L-83. Similar type; perfect date, stars larger. Rev. Type of last, but DOLLAR better aligned; twenty-seven berries; die break joins left ribbon to border. Proof; some (easily removable) verdigris. ($8.50)

542 **1880. Burnie 128;** L-84. Large Indian head, thirteen stars. Rev. ¼ DOLLAR in an almost closed wreath; twenty-six berries. Slightly hairmarked Proof. ($9.00)

543 **1881. Burnie 132;** L-85. Similar type; ninth star double size and crudely recut. Rev. As last. Unc., prooflike surface; has been cleaned. ($7.50)

Half Dollars, Octagonal

544 **1853. Burnie 4;** L-3. Large Liberty head, ten stars; FD and date under head. Rev. ½ DOLLAR within beaded circle; CALIFORNIA. GOLD. * * around. About EF, somewhat dull. Weak strike. ($12.50)

545 1853. **Unpublished; not in Burnie or Lee.** Obv. B-4; Rev. B-5. Same obverse as last, with reverse showing eagle, holding arrow, rays above; CALIFORNIA GOLD. 50. CENTS. around. Very Fine, but loop removed (not visible on the all-important reverse). Lee saw and verified this coin, but for some unknown reason it never came to Burnie's attention. One of the most important pieces in the collection. Enlarged **Plate** **($65.00)**

546 1853. **Burnie 5;** L-4. Large Liberty head, thirteen stars; F.D. vertically behind head. Eagle reverse, same die as last. A tarnished Proof on a somewhat defective planchet. RRR. Not listed by Burnie in Proof; valued by him at $50. Unc. **($60.00)**

547 1853. **Burnie 6;** L-4B. Large Liberty head, thirteen stars encircling; F.D. between stars and head. Rev. Humbert type eagle, without motto on ribbons; CALIFORNIA GOLD • FIFTY 1853 • CENTS around, the date just below the eagle. This piece is described by Burnie in only the most sketchy manner, suggesting that he had not seen it. It has evidently never been in circulation, but the appearance suggests cleaning, making it difficult to differentiate between weak striking and possible friction on the highest points. Of the greatest rarity and desirability. Enlarged **Plate** ($150.00)

548 **1854. Burnie 10;** L-6. Head similar to B-4, except for date. Rev. Same die as B-4. Dull Proof, weakly struck on high spots. Uncommon. ($17.50)

549 1854. **Burnie 12;** L-7. Large Liberty head (similar to last), ten stars. Rev. ½ DOLLAR within beaded circle; CALIFORNIA * GOLD. around, F D * below. Cleaned Proof, defective flan. ($20.00)

550 1854. **Burnie 14;** L-8. Large Liberty head (more like the Gruner type), thirteen stars. Rev. * 1854 in wreath with sixteen berries; HALF DOL. CALIFORNIA GOLD N. around. Excellent workmanship. Brilliant, but hairmarked Proof. Rare so. **($20.00)**

551 **1855. Unpublished; not in Burnie or Lee.** Obv. of B-18, L-11; reverse different. Large Liberty head, thirteen stars; reminiscent of the design used on the three cent nickel. Rev. Almost exactly like B-14 (not 14A), including the N. after GOLD., but for date 1855 and no star in opening of wreath. Weakly beaded border. Reeded edge. Cleaned Proof, showing many obverse die file marks, and some hairlines. Undoubtedly rare. **($35.00)**

552 **1856. Burnie 20;** L-12. Obverse same as last; die break, fourth star to border.

Rev. As last except for date 1856, but the N. is at bottom between ribbons. Cleaned but brilliant Proof. Not known to Burnie in Proof. **($22.50)**

553 1856. **Burnie 22;** L-41. Large, homely Liberty head; thirteen stars. Rev. ½ DOLLAR 1856 * in beaded circle; around, CALIFORNIA GOLD timidly engraved. Large recut denominator. Brill. Unc. ($20.00)

554 **1859. Burnie 26;** L-16. Large Liberty head (like the last); eleven stars. Rev. ½ DOLLAR 1859 in wreath, about six berries. Evidently struck as a Proof, now cleaned and dull. ($11.50)

555 A duplicate B-26. This one brilliant Unc. Nice. ($10.00)

556 **1864. Type of B-33A, L-17A, but reeded edge.** Small Liberty head, thirteen stars; G below head. Rev. HALF DOLLAR 1864 in wreath with twenty-one berries; LF recut. Extra brilliant Proof; hairlined, reverse microscopically scratched. **($25.00)**

557 **1867. Burnie 36;** L-19. Small Liberty head; eleven stars. Rev. ½ DOLLAR 1867 in wreath, no berries. Brilliant Unc., choice. ($12.50)

558 **1868. Burnie 37;** L-20. Obverse of last. Rev. Similar, but for date 1868 and about six berries. Letters LAR in DOLLAR touch. "Gem" Unc. ($12.50)

559 **1869. Burnie 41;** L-22. Obverse of two preceding. Rev. Similar, but for date 1869; wreath has eight berries. Better workmanship. Also "gem" Unc. ($12.50)

560 1869. **Burnie 42A;** variant of L-23. Small, crude Liberty head; thirteen stars, 1st, 7th, 8th and 13th large, 6th very small and almost touching coronet point; G below head. Rev. * CAL. GOLD HALF DOL 1869 in wreath, twenty-three berries; weak strike as always. Reverse die cracked up. Brilliant but slightly cloudy Proof. Apparently known only in this condition. ($12.50)

561 **1870. Burnie 43;** L-24. Obverse of B-35, 36, 37, 41. Rev. Similar to B-36, but date 1870 and twelve berries. DOLLAR and 1870 slant up to right. "Gem" Unc. ($12.50)

562 1870. **Burnie 44A;** similar to L-25. Small, homely Liberty head; thirteen stars. Rev. ½ DOLLAR 1870 within wreath; twenty-six (Burnie says twenty-eight) berries. A rather weak, but brilliant Proof. ($10.00)

563 1870. **Burnie 45A;** variant of L-26. Obv. of B-42A (lot 560). Rev. * CAL GOLD (period between them at tops) HALF DOL 1870 within wreath; about twenty-three berries. Cloudy, but brilliant Proof. ($15.00)

564 1870. **Burnie 46;** L-27. Small, homely Liberty head; thirteen stars, G below head. Rev. * HALF DOLLAR 1870 in crude and partly disconnected wreath; five berries, a sixth where absent bow should be. Abt. Unc., proof surface. ($10.00)

565 1870. **Unpublished; not in Burnie or Lee.** Obv. of B-48, L-28; reverse new. Small, dainty Liberty head, thirteen stars; G and date below. Rev. * HALF DOLLAR C A L in wreath with about thirteen berries, a fourteenth under A of CAL; wreath is two wholly separate branches. Abt. Unc., proof surface; rev. especially choice. Presumably RRR. **($25.00)**

566 **1871. Burnie 51;** L-30. Large Liberty head, eight five-pointed stars. Rev. ½ DOLLAR 1871 in open wreath, five berries left, three right; D R touch. Break below ribbon. Deeply tarnished Proof. ($10.00)

567 1871. **Burnie 52;** L-31. Similar; nine five-pointed stars. Rev. Same as last. Brill. Unc. Tiny edge nick, otherwise a "gem." Severely injured dies. ($8.50)

568 1871. **Burnie 57;** L-35. Small Liberty head, thirteen stars; letter G (under head) partly double cut; 7 in date tilted to right. Rev. * HALF DOLLAR C A L in slender wreath with ten berries; A in CAL high, other letters irregular. Extra brilliant, although slightly cloudy Proof. ($10.00)

569 A duplicate B-57. Same condition as the last, but a little bent. Superior to our description. ($7.50)

570 1871. **Burnie 59;** L-36. Small Liberty head, rather like that of B-48; thirteen blobs for stars; L touching bust, date below with 18 close and last 1 thick (cut over a 0?). Rev. Type of preceding but CAL close, seven berries, R low. Attempt at reeded edge. Off Unc., proof surface; cleaned, hairmarked, slightly cloudy. One of the rarer ones. ($20.00)

571 **1872. Burnie 62;** L-39. Small, dainty Liberty head; thirteen stars. Rev. Type of last, but six-pointed star (preceding had five-pointed stars); HALF slants down, first L in DOLLAR recut; period after CAL., no berries. Close to EF; lustrous. ($8.00)

572 1872. **Unpublished; not in Burnie or Lee.** Obv. may be B-65 ("Reported" to Burnie); Rev. B-64A. Similar to L-41. **Washington head.** Period after large date; seventh and eighth stars not so close to head. Rev. * CALIFORNIA *

CHARM. around; ½ GOLD in center. Brill. Unc. B-65 valued at $75. (parenthesized, obviously unseen by Burnie); B-64A valued at $60. This piece should bring a higher figure. Enlarged **Plate** **($80.00)**

573 1872. **Burnie 67;** L-42. Large Indian head, thirteen crude five-pointed stars; date scrawled below. Rev. ½ DOLLAR CAL. in wreath with nineteen large and three small berries. Brilliant Proof. ($15.00)

574 1872. **Burnie 68;** L-43. Type as last. Larger date with period; larger letters and fraction, twenty-five berries, the twenty-sixth being a period after CAL. Brilliant, but slightly cloudy Proof. ($15.00)

575 1872. **Burnie 68A;** not in Lee. As last, but smaller date without period; no stars touch border, 8th does not touch 4th feather (it does on B-68, diagnostic). Rev. Identical. Brilliant Proof. ($15.00)

576 **1873. Burnie 70;** L-44. Small Liberty head, similar to 1872 B-62, except for date 1873; five-pointed stars, whereas on B-62 they are six-pointed. Rev. Same as B-62. Brilliant Unc. Rather rare. ($20.00)

577 1873. **Burnie 71;** L-45. Large Indian head, thirteen stars; period after date. Rev. Similar to B-68; smaller letters and fraction, twenty-six berries. Brilliant Proof, faintly hair-marked. Lists at $25. Unc., unmentioned by Burnie in Proof. Evidently rare. **($32.50)**

578 **1874/3. Unpublished; not in Burnie or Lee.** Large Indian head, thirteen five-pointed stars, top feather touching sixth. Large, crude date, the 4 very large and cut over a 3, but this is not an 1873 die that we have seen. It is nearest to B-67 of 1872 in appearance. Does not answer the description of any of Nos. 74-76. Rev. Type of B-67, but twenty-one berries, the odd one isolated and nearest the numerator. No period after CAL. This may be the die of B-74, but the description does not permit us to verify the fact. Mostly brilliant Proof. RRR. **($40.00)**

579 **1874. Type of B-75, L-49; obverse differing from Burnie's description.** Similar head to last; perfect date, last star almost touching it. Answers the description of B-75, except that 4 (in date) is small. Rev. Die of B-71, now rusted. Brilliant Proof. **($12.50)**

580 **1875. Burnie 80;** L-52. Small (not large) Indian head; thirteen small, hollow-pointed stars. Rev. Similar, but much simpler open wreath with twenty almost indistinguishable berries. Cleaned Proof, not quite full brilliancy. ($15.00)

581 1875. **Burnie 81;** L-53. Large, crude Indian head, thirteen flat five-pointed stars; a miserable imitation of the B-71 type. Rev. Facsimile of the B-71 type; twenty-one berries, no period after CAL. Condition like the last, a trifle more brilliant. ($15.00)

582 1875. **Burnie 83;** L-54. Similar type; 1 recut, die break through it. Rev. Like the last; twenty berries; 2 touches "solidus." Brilliant Proof, spot at the 4th star; reverse a little cloudy. ($15.00)

583 **1876. Unpublished; not in Burnie or Lee.** Obv. B-86; Rev. B-80. Small, crude Liberty head, thirteen clover-leaf stars, sixth joins coronet; small date running into border. Rev. Differs from B-86 in that the latter has a reverse with no bow-knot or "ribbands," while the B-80 reverse has crude single bow-knot and four ribbon ends. Brill. Unc. Pale green color, similar to the Washington pieces. RRR. **($27.50)**

584 1876. **Unpublished,** as last. Obv. B-90; Rev. B-80. Small, crude Indian head, similar to B-80, but for date 1876 and larger stars. Rev. As above. V. Fine to Ex. Fine, prooflike; a trifle bent. RRR. **($20.00)**

585 1876. **Burnie 87;** L-57. Large Indian head, of far better style than preceding; five large, three small, and again five large five-pointed stars. Rev. Type of B-71, but large fraction and letters; thirty berries. No period after CAL. Probably the best die of the type. Brill. Unc., proof surface. ($8.50)

586 1876. **Unpublished; not in Burnie or Lee.** Obverse similar to last, but all stars large; date very large and well formed. Rev. Die of B-95. ½ (large) DOLLAR (small), in wreath with twenty-seven berries. Proof, a little mishandled; still with considerable brilliance. Undoubtedly RRR. **($23.50)**

587 **1878. Unpublished,** as last. Obv. B-93 (only the one die of this date); Rev. B-87. This does not answer the description of the B-93 reverse. Brill. Proof; rev. not bold. **($18.50)**

588 Another example of the identical muling above described, in identical condition. **($18.50)**

589 **1880. Burnie 95;** L-59. Obverse like the last unpublished variety of 1876 except for small date 1880. Same reverse. Brilliant Proof. ($15.00)

590 **1881. Burnie 97A;** variant of L-60. Similar to last except for date. Rev. Very much like B-87, but only twenty-six berries; letters spaced slightly differently, base of D does not join wreath. Brilliant Proof. ($12.50)

Half Dollars, Round

591 **1852. Burnie 1;** L-1. Small Liberty head; thirteen stars. Rev. HALF DOL. CALIFORNIA GOLD. around wreath containing date; twenty berries. Brill. Unc. ($10.00)

592 Duplicate. Very Fine; old planchet "pinch," possibly as made. ($8.00)

593 1852. **Burnie 5;** L-2. Similar head, thirteen stars; D.N. under head. Rev. As two above. Abt. Unc., prooflike. Lists $10. Perfect. ($9.00)

594 1852. **Burnie 8;** L-3. Large Indian head. Rev. ½ DOLLAR in wreath. The workmanship on this piece is so much like the 1874-81 Octagonal Indian heads, that the conclusion is forced on us that the date is fictitious. Incidentally, this reverse die was also used with the obvs. of 1874 B-113, 1876 B-125, 1881 B-141 in this collection. Unc., prooflike; not in full brilliance. Supposedly rare. ($20.00)

595 **1853. Burnie 13;** L-6. Large Liberty head, eleven stars; D below head. Rev. CALIFORNIA GOLD HALF D around wreath containing large date; twenty-three small dots (for berries). Perfect dies. Unc. Reddish gold unlike the California product. ($12.50)

596 Duplicate. Die cracked across reverse. Abt. Unc., old dent-like mark upon the obv., near the fourth star. ($9.00)

597 1853. **Burnie 13A;** L-6A. Same as the two preceding. Burnie is completely confused in his handling of this variety. So far from being an overstrike on an erroneously made example of B-13, this is actually a trivial instance of evanescent incusations, resulting from the dies having once come together without a planchet between them, and having left their impression on each other. These incusations or "suction marks" are very common, particularly on U. S. quarters and halves. They eventually wear off the dies. The broken die B-13, just offered (lot 596), is an instance in point. Off Unc., cracked planchet. ($10.00)

598 1853. **Burnie 14;** L-7. Large Liberty head; twelve stars, first atop neckline, 8th on curl. Rev. HALF D. CALIFORNIA GOLD around small wreath; five berries. 1853 within. Cleaned Unc. ($10.00)

599 1853. **Burnie 15;** L-8. Similar to preceding, but bustpoint over first star. Rev. As that described for B-13 above. Uncirculated; rusted dies. ($10.00)

600 1853. **Burnie 17;** L-10. Similar to B-1, but coronet point midway between 6th and 7th stars. Rev. Like B-1, but date 1853, and star beneath ribbons; sixteen berries. Ex. Fine, but a little bent. ($6.50)

601 1853. **Burnie 19;** similar to L-10. Obv. of last. Rev. Similar, but heavier wreath; twenty berries. First A in CALIFORNIA short-legged. Unc., prooflike; die file marks and some hairmarks. ($15.00)

602 1853. **Burnie 20;** L-11. Like B-17, but coronet point very near sixth star. Rev. As last. Unc. Some proof lustre; die and hairmarks. ($10.00)

We might note here that we find it impossible to distinguish B-20 from B-29 by Burnie's descriptions.

603 1853. **Burnie 27;** L-16. Small Liberty head, thirteen stars; D.N. beneath head. Rev. HALF DOL. (not D. as according to Burnie) CALIFORNIA GOLD, etc., as in B-1; wreath with eleven berries left, thirteen right. Severely broken dies, like the "unique" example in the Lee collection. Brilliant Unc. Evidently RR, as value parenthesized. ($20.00)

604 Another B-27. This one from unbroken dies. Ex. Fine, cleaned; retarnished. **($15.00)**

605 1853. **Burnie 30;** L-20. Similar, but older and taller head; G.G. below. Rev. ½ DOLLAR within wreath, about fifteen berries; CALIFORNIA GOLD around, 18 53 below, divided by ribbons. Prooflike. ($15.00)

606 1853. **Burnie 32;** L-21. State Arms surrounded by thirteen stars, date below. Rev. Imitation of Humbert eagle (in a plain, raised circle, as is the obv. design); CALIFORNIA GOLD around above; HALF DOLLAR below, periods separating. Mostly brilliant Proof. Lists at $50. Unc., this one cost $27. years ago. Of extreme rarity and importance. Enlarged **Plate** **($60.00)**

607 **1854. Burnie 33;** L-22. Small, fine Liberty head, eleven stars; date below. Rev. Like B-1, but star below ribbons; nothing within wreath. Proof; brilliant, but scratched in the center of the reverse. **($17.50)**

608 1854. **Burnie 43A;** variant of L-A2. Small Liberty head, like that on Octagonal

Dollar B-34. Rev. More finely executed copy of B-1 type; small wreath, seventeen berries, minute ribbons. O in CALIFORNIA over horizontal O. Unc., cleaned, prooflike. ($9.00)

609 **1855. Burnie 47;** L-28. Large Liberty head, twelve stars; FD on coronet. Rev. ½ DOLLAR 1855, all very small, within crude wreath; nineteen berries. Very Fine; weak strike. Rare. Lists $30. Unc. ($20.00)

610 1855. **Burnie 49;** L-29. Large, fine Liberty head, thirteen stars; five left, three above, four right, one below. Rev. Like B-17, but date 1855; twenty-two berries. Cleaned Proof, a trifle cloudy. Lists $15. Unc. **($17.50)**

611 **1856. Burnie 52;** L-31. Large Liberty head; twelve stars. Rev. Very similar to last, but for date and for an N. below ribbons instead of star; sixteen berries. Cleaned Unc., prooflike; small reverse edge irregularities. ($12.50)

612 **1859. Burnie 57;** L-32. Large Liberty head; nine five-pointed stars. Rev. ½ (in opening of wreath) DOLLAR 1859 (in wreath); fifteen berries. A weakly struck Proof; cleaned, fairly nice. ($15.00)

613 1859. **Burnie 58;** L-33. Similar but cruder head; eleven six-pointed stars. Rev. As last, die now rusted. Brill. Unc. Hardly visible defect at ninth star, otherwise of "gem" grade. ($10.00)

614 Another B-58; this one an ill-finished Proof on a defective planchet. ($11.50)

615 **1860. Burnie 62;** L-36. Obverse like B-49, but twelve stars; weak strike, injured die. Rev. Crude imitation of B-49, weak double strike from injured die. Unworn but cleaned, badly tarnished. Decidedly rare. ($30.00)

616 **1863. Burnie 66;** L-36A. Small Liberty head, like that on B-33; thirteen hollow-centered five-pointed stars around, that under the head recut. Rev. CALIFORNIA above wreath, GOLD below; twelve berries. Fraction "1/9" DOLLAR 1863 within wreath; letter A in DOLLAR over an R. Horizontal line from base of 9, as though to make it resemble a 2. Extraordinary, glaring error. Cleaned, hairmarked Proof. Not known to Burnie so. **($13.50)**

617 **1864. Burnie 67;** L-38. Similar head; thirteen flat stars around. Rev. * HALF DOLLAR 1864 in wreath; no berries. A cleaned, brilliant Proof. ($12.50)

618 **1865. Burnie 69;** L-39. Large Liberty head; nine stars. Both obv. and rev. similar to B-57, except for the date. A choice Proof. Rare; lists $25. Unc., not mentioned by Burnie in Proof. **($27.50)**

619 **1866. Burnie 70;** L-40. Obv. and Rev. similar to last, but ten small five-pointed stars; date 1866 more closely spaced. Brilliant, but unevenly struck Proof; spot at first star. Equally rare, likewise unlisted by Burnie in Proof. **($27.50)**

620 **1868. Burnie 74;** L-44. Obv. as last; rev. similar but for date, which is lower down in wreath. With twenty berries, some almost indistinguishable. Brilliant "gem" Unc. ($20.00)

621 1868. **Burnie 75;** L-45. Small Liberty head like B-33; thirteen closely spaced stars, G below head. Rev. * HALF DOLLAR 1868 in wreath; twenty-four berries. Brilliant Proof, light reverse scratch. ($15.00)

622 **1869. Type of B-77, L-47; reverse differing from Burnie's description.** Obv. Like B-74. Rev. As B-74 except for date; seven berries in wreath, D not touching wreath. Burnie's B-77 reverse calls for eight berries and letter D touching. Brill. Unc., a little weakly struck. Tiny "dent-like" mark upon the rev., otherwise of "gem" grade. **($10.00)**

623 1869. **Burnie 78;** L-48. Obverse of B-75. Rev. Type of B-75, but date 1869 and lettering more closely spaced; eighteen berries. Badly tarnished Proof. ($12.50)

624 1869. **Burnie 79;** L-49. Head as last, thirteen small five-pointed stars encircling it; G below. Rev. Same as last. Former Proof; cleaned, faintly scratched, tarnished. ($15.00)

625 **1870. Burnie 83;** L-50. Obverse of B-74. Rev. As B-74 but for date; eleven berries. Brilliant "gem" Uncirculated. ($10.00)

626 1870. **Burnie 85;** L-51. Small, homely Liberty head, as on Octagonal Half B-44; thirteen six-pointed stars around. Rev. Type of preceding, but much better work; twenty berries. Brill. Proof. ($15.00)

627 1870. **Burnie 86;** L-52. Small Liberty head, thirteen blobs for stars; date and G below. Rev. * HALF DOLLAR CAL. in wreath; no berries. Cleaned Proof; microscopic nick at top of rev. ($12.50)

628 1870. **Unpublished; not in Burnie or Lee.** Small Liberty head, copied from the Gruner type; thirteen small five-pointed stars around, G almost touching below head. Rev. * HALF DOLLAR 1870 in wreath, no berries. Brilliant, but slightly cloudy Proof. Believed RRR. **($30.00)**

629 **1871. Burnie 88;** L-53. Obverse of B-74. Rev. Like B-74 but for date; no berries.

Brill. Unc. Weak strike as always with this type. ($8.50)

630 A duplicate B-88. This one more brilliant and proof-like. ($8.50)

631 1871. **Burnie 91;** L-54. Obverse like B-86, except for the date. Rev. Type of B-86; nine berries on wreath. Base gold, showing copper. Ex. Fine, prooflike. ($8.00)

632 1871. **Burnie 92;** L-55. Obv. same. Rev. Similar, star in opening of wreath; ten berries, two attempts at berries below A in CAL. No bow or ribbons. Light mint clip. Mostly Unc. ($10.00)

633 1871. **Burnie 92A;** L-56. Obv. same as last two. Rev. Similar to last; eleven berries, two plain below A in CAL. Very Fine; very weak, faintly scratched. ($8.00)

634 1871. **Burnie 96;** L-A8. Smallest Liberty head, type of Octagonal Half B-58. Thirteen tiny stars, large H, sans-serif date. Rev. * HALF DOLLAR CAL (tall, gothic letters) in wreath; sixteen berries. Unc. Prooflike; evidently cleaned, still attractive. Rare. ($25.00)

635 1871. **Burnie 98;** L-57. Small Liberty head, thirteen small, six-pointed stars; date and L below. Rev. Similar to B-86, but six berries; no ribbons or bow. Prooflike, obverse hairmarked. Somewhat rare. ($20.00)

636 **1872. Burnie 99;** L-58. Small Liberty head, like that on Octagonal Half B-62. Rev. * HALF DOLLAR CAL. in wreath; no berries. Brill. Unc. Cleaned; prooflike. ($10.00)

637 1872. **Burnie 103;** L-59. Large Indian head, thirteen small five-pointed stars. Rev. ½ DOLLAR CAL. in ornate wreath; twenty-six berries. Brill. Proof. Lightly hairmarked, not fully up in center. ($15.00)

638 1872. **Burnie 105;** L-60. Larger Indian head, thirteen large five-pointed stars. Die broken between 18; blobs on 2, neckline, mouth and nose. Rev. As last. Abt. Unc. ($11.00)

639 **1873. Burnie 106A;** L-61. Obverse of B-74. Rev. ½ DOLLAR 1873. in wreath similar to B-74, but with seven berries. Bright, choice Unc. A tough one to find. ($20.00)

640 **1874. Unpublished; not in Burnie or Lee.** Obv. B-113; Rev. B-8. Large Indian head; thirteen large five-pointed stars. Both dies so similar to Burnie 8, that we are forced to the conclusion that the latter was made at the same time as this, despite the date. Cloudy Proof. Undoubtedly RRR. **($25.00)**

641 **1875. Burnie 120;** L-70. Indian head, not as large as last; stars similar. Rev. Copy of B-103, coarser work; twenty-four berries. The 5 (in date) looks as though it were made over from a 3, although we have seen no such 1873 die. A cleaned, brilliant Proof. ($15.00)

642 **1876. Unpublished; not in Burnie or Lee.** Obv. B-123, L-71; reverse new. Small, crude Liberty head, like that on Octagonal Half B-86; thirteen large clover-leaf stars, small date. Rev. ½ DOLLAR CAL. in plain wreath with sixteen berries; flat re-cut bow, large knot, four ribbons, two stems. Not B-123A, as that has only fourteen berries. Prooflike; weak in center of reverse; edge irregularities as made. Allegedly RRR. **($27.50)**

643 1876. **Unpublished,** as last. Obv. B-125, L-72; Rev. B-8. The obverse is like B-120, but has the small date 1876. Rev. As described; weaker strike. The B-125 reverse differs in having only twenty-four berries. Same condition and comments as last. **($25.00)**

644 **1881. Unpublished,** as two above. Obv. B-141, L-76; Rev. B-8. Obv. Type of last, but smaller stars and larger date 1881. Rev. As last. Same condition and comments as preceding two. **($25.00)**

Dollars, Octagonal

645 **No date. Burnie 1;** L-1. Large Liberty head; thirteen six-pointed stars around. Rev. Rather crude copy of the Humbert eagle; above, CALIFORNIA GOLD., below, ONE. DOL. Abt. Ex. Fine; weak strike. RR; ex Newcomer collection (years ago) at $30.00. Enlarged **Plate** ($35.00)

646 **1853. Burnie 4;** L-3. Similar head; eight stars. Rev. In beaded circle, 1 DOLLAR 1853; around, CALIFORNIA GOLD * DERI *. Strictly Very Fine; weak, but evenly worn. Ex MacAllister. ($22.50)

647 Duplicate B-4. Ex. Fine or better, but holed above head. Ex Lee. ($5.00)

648 1853. **Burnie 5;** L-4. Obverse almost the same as B-4; larger stars. Rev. Also similar to B-4; DOLLAR slants up, 3 touches beads. Ex. Fine plus. Ex Bauer. ($22.50)

649 1853. **Burnie 6;** L-5. Similar obverse; stars microscopic. Rev. Similar; DOLLAR

slants down, 3 not touching beads. Unc., prooflike; reverse die shattered. Nice. Ex Lee. ($30.00)

650 1853. **Burnie 10;** L-6. Small, well designed Liberty head; ten crude six-pointed stars. Rev. * CALIFORNIA * * GOLD. (the G inverted) * F D around beaded circle; within, 1 DOLLAR 1853. Ex. Fine; prooflike, especially on obverse. Probably former proof. Ex H. Chapman. ($22.00)

651 Duplicate B-10. Very Fine or better, lightly scratched on reverse. ($20.00)

652 1853. **Burnie 12;** L-8. Large, well made Liberty head, thirteen small stars; six left, one above, six right. Rev. CALIFORNIA GOLD * N. * around beaded circle, words separated by groups of four points; within, 1 DOLLAR 1853. Ex. Fine; evidently unworn, but cleaned. Ex B. Bluestone. ($20.00)

653 1853. **Burnie 12A;** L-9. Very similar to last, but thirteenth star higher up, further from curl. Rev. As last. Almost Perfect; the reverse lightly scratched. A VF one brought $16. in our 45th sale, April 22, '55. ($20.00)

654 Another B-12A. Better than the last and lustrous, but a pin-point obverse dig has slightly bent the coin. ($15.00)

655 **1854. Burnie 14;** L-10. Like B-5 except for date 1854. Loop removed, DERI erased in the process; coin buffed and repaired, quite skillfully. Lists to $25. Perfect. ($11.00)

656 1854. **Burnie 16;** L-12. Obverse as B-10, but coronet partly beaded. Rev. CALIFORNIA. * (at top) GOLD (at right) * FD (at lower right) around beaded circle; within, 1 DOLLAR 1854. V. Fine or so. Ex Lee. ($20.00)

657 1854. **Burnie 17;** L-11. Same obverse. Rev. Similar, but upper star farther right; FD * directly under beads. Poorly struck and not fully brilliant Proof. Ex Hesslein. ($32.50)

658 A second B-17. Fairly brilliant, but cloudy Proof. ($32.50)

659 1854. **Burnie 22;** L-14. Obverse of B-12. Rev. CALIFORNIA GOLD (groups of seven points before and after, group of four between) around wreath with sixteen berries; within, 1 DOLLAR 1854. Cleaned and hairmarked Proof. Lists at $25. Unc., unmentioned by Burnie in Proof. Ex H. Chapman. **($32.50)**

660 Another B-22, in similar condition; reverse a little dirty. Ex Bluestone. Mr. Clarke always knew when to pick up a nice duplicate. **($32.50)**

661 1854. **Burnie 23;** L-15. Large, coarse Liberty head, thirteen rather crude stars around. Rev. Copy of Humbert eagle without scrolls; * CALIFORNIA GOLD 1854 * around, ONE DOL below. Close to Ex. Fine. From the Waldo Newcomer estate at a cost of $50., there called "unique." None in Menjou. Definitely RRR. Enlarged **Plate** ($50.00)

662 1854. **Burnie 24;** L-16. Similar head, first star touches under neck. Rev. As last, but with scrolls. A weak impression from severely injured dies; badly tarnished. We'll call it Ex. Fine. Very rare. ($40.00)

663 Another B-24; this one from a broken reverse die. Uncirculated; proof surface. Unimprovable. Ex Newcomer. The presence of a RR duplicate like this one, testifies only to the owner's propensity for hoarding rarities. Enlarged **Plate** ($60.00)

664 **1855. Burnie 26;** L-18. Small Liberty head, similar to B-10, but with large five-pointed stars. Rev. CALIFORNIA. * GOLD. around, FD below beaded circle; within, 1 DOLLAR 1855, the second 5 over another digit. Cleaned and slightly impaired Proof. ($27.50)

665 1855. **Burnie 27;** L-19. Obverse of B-22. CALIFORNIA GOLD. N. R. around wreath with twenty berries; within, 1 DOLLAR 1855. Unc., proof surface, but very weakly struck; hairmarked. ($25.00)

666 **1856. Burnie 29;** L-21. Obverse of B-26. Rev. Like B-26 but no F D; outer star at lower right; date 1856 in circle. Brilliant Unc. ($27.50)

667 **1858. Burnie 34;** L-A4. Small Liberty head, thirteen stars; K under and touching the head. Rev. CALIFORNIA (above), GOLD (below); crude wreath with sixteen berries containing 1 DOLLAR 1858. Unc., thousands of microscopic file marks in the obverse die; these fade as die wears down. Ex Bluestone. ($25.00)

668 **1860. Burnie 37;** L-27. Small Liberty head; similar to B-26, 29, thirteen smaller six-pointed stars. Rev. CALIFORNIA (left) GOLD (right); wreath with nineteen berries containing 1 DOLLAR 1860, the whole crude. Brill. Unc. Obverse die cracked across. Ex H. Chapman. ($27.50)

669 **1868. Burnie 45;** L-29. Coarse, lantern-jawed Liberty head, with necklace; six, one, and three pairs of stars around; G below head. Rev. CALIFORNIA above; crude, open wreath with twenty berries containing GOLD 1 (ornaments l. and r.) DOLLAR 1868. Kidney-shaped bow with numerous spines. Proof; weak strike. Ex H. Chapman. ($32.50)

670 **1869. Burnie 46;** L-30. Same obverse. Rev. Similar, but date 1869. Cloudy Proof; cleaned. ($32.50)

671 **1870. Burnie 48;** L-32. Large, coarse Liberty head remotely like B-23; thirteen five-pointed stars around, G below. Rev. CALIFORNIA GOLD around; 1 (very large) DOLLAR 1870 within wreath, thirteen berries. Ex. Fine, first strike; the surface a little roughened or impaired as sometimes found upon these pieces. Ex Lee. ($22.50)

672 **1871. Burnie 52;** L-34. Smaller Liberty head similar to B-36; eleven five-pointed stars. Rev. CAL (above) GOLD (below); crude wreath with thirteen berries containing 1 DOLLAR 1871. Sharpness of EF, but lightly scratched; loop removed. ($13.50)

673 1871. **Burnie 55;** L-35. Large Liberty head, thirteen stars around; G and date below. Rev. CALIFORNIA GOLD above, 1 (very large) DOLLAR within wreath; nine berries. Slightly cloudy Proof. ($30.00)

674 **1872. Burnie 58;** not in Lee (Obv. L-36, Rev. L-37). Large Indian head, period after date which slants a little down to right. Rev. Heavy ornate wreath; legends as on B-55, but ornament below 1, star below DOLLAR. Cleaned Proof; not well struck up. Really rare. ($50.00)

675 **1873. Burnie 59;** L-37. Obverse like the last except for date. Rev. Same as last. Unworn, weakly struck, faintly prooflike; vertical planchet defect on reverse. ($30.00)

676 1873. **Type of B-61** (not in Lee), **but without period after date on obverse.** Similar to last, but die break through 3, which digit is differently shaped. Reverse of B-58. Crack, edge to 11th star to feather. Proof, fairly brilliant. Believed RRR. **($55.00)**

677 **1874. Burnie 62;** L-38. Large Indian head like last three; date 1874 below. Reverse of B-58. Brilliant Proof. Rare. ($35.00)

678 **1875. Burnie 63A;** L-40. Head as on B-59; date 1875. Rev. Type of B-57, but twenty berries. V. Fine-Ex. Fine. ($25.00)

679 1875. **Burnie 64;** L-39. Crude, smaller Indian head, similar to B-90 of Octagonal Halves; same crude clover-leaf stars. Rev. 1 DOLLAR CAL. in crude wreath; sixteen berries. Ex. Fine, copper showing through. Very rare. ($40.00)

680 **1876/5. Burnie 72;** L-45. Handsome Indian head of moderate size; thirteen stars around. Plain overdate. Rev. Altered die of B-63; see Burnie's description. Brilliant Proof. ($35.00)

681 1876/5. **Burnie 73;** L-46. Obverse as last, but date slants down to right. Rev. Die of B-63, unaltered. Cleaned Proof. Lists $32.50 Unc. Rarer than preceding. **($37.50)**

682 1876/5. **Unpublished; not in Burnie or Lee.** Obv. B-73; Rev. B-72. Prooflike, but friction on high spots; copper showing through. Undoubtedly very rare. **($35.00)**

Dollars, Round

683 **1853. Burnie 3;** L-3. Medium sized Liberty head copying that on the double eagle; G.G. close below, thirteen stars around. One of the best designs in the series. Rev. Squat eagle on ground, holding three arrows and olive branch; 1853 below, ONE DOLLAR. CALIFORNIA GOLD. around. Very Fine plus; not fully struck up in center, but elsewhere very sharp. Small dig near fifth star, otherwise unblemished. Extremely rare. From the Newcomer collection, years ago, at the then high price of $100.00. Enlarged **Plate** ($250.00)

684 **1854. Burnie 5;** L-5. Crude, hook-nosed Liberty head; thirteen stars. Rev. * G * CALIFORNIA GOLD * L * around; 1 (very large) DOLLAR 1854 within wreath. Letters G and L inverted. The wreath has twenty berries, rather than the nineteen counted by Burnie. Abt. Ex. Fine. This piece, which superficially resembles the U. S. coinage, was also obtained from the Newcomer estate. At least RR. Enlarged **Plate** ($125.00)

685 1854. **Unpublished; not in Burnie or Lee.** A variant of the last. Obverse very similar. Rev. Wreath much more crude, and with eighteen berries; lacks the G at lower left. Cleverly made into a hinge locket; blue satin on the inside. Ex. Fine; two or three minor obverse surface dents. Believed unique. Ex MacAllister. Enlarged **Plate** **($50.00)**

686 1854. **Burnie 6;** L-6. Small, odd style Liberty head, F D below; thirteen five-pointed stars around. Rev. CALIFORNIA GOLD around; 1 DOLLAR 1854 within wreath with about twenty-two berries (not eighteen as seen by Burnie). Fine to V. Fine. Shank expertly removed from the centre of the reverse; microscopic obv. field nick, rev. rim nick. Valued at $100. undamaged. Enlarged **Plate** ($50.00)

687 **1870. Burnie 8;** L-7. Coarse, tall Liberty head; thirteen stars. Rev. CALIFORNIA GOLD. above; 1 (large) DOLLAR 1870. within wreath with twelve berries. A nicely styled coin. Choice Unc., considerable proof-like lustre. Extra desirable. Enlarged **Plate** ($75.00)

688 A duplicate B-8; this one severely impaired. Ex. Fine, slightly bent at the right side of the obv., and corresponding part of the rev. Two small, cut-like mutilations upon the rev. rim; heat discoloration at the rev. damage, as well as around most of the obverse. Hardly as bad as our description; should be seen. Still RR. ($25.00)

689 1870. **Burnie 9;** L-8. Medium Liberty head, reminiscent of that on the three cents nickel; thirteen five-pointed stars around, G and date below head. Rev. CALIFORNIA GOLD around; 1 (extra large) DOLLAR in asymmetrical wreath with ten berries. Ex. Fine; loop cleanly removed from the top edge. The obverse rim defects (seen upon the plate) are inherent with the coin, and are not solder marks. From the Newcomer coll. Enlarged **Plate** ($45.00)

690 **1872. Burnie 15;** L-12. Medium sized and well executed Indian head; thirteen five-pointed stars around, date below. Rev. CALIFORNIA GOLD above; 1 (ornament) DOLLAR * in attractive, ornate wreath with twenty-three berries. Ex. Fine plus; some prooflike surface. ($100.00)

691 Another B-15; this one a cleaned, but choice Proof. Bolder than the last. Ex Newcomer. Enlarged **Plate** ($200.00)

692 **Miscellany.** Oct. Quarter B-86, L-66, EF, but holed above head. Also, Oct. Half B-18, L-11, VF, but shank removed from bottom of reverse. 2 Pcs.

693 **Supplementary Pieces, Imitations and Tokens.** OCTAGONAL QUARTERS. 1857 Indian head, 8 stars (Burnie Token Series, T-5, No. 1); 1858 Modern Indian head, 13 stars (Token, T-4, unlisted denomination); 1865 Indian head, 8 stars (Token, T-14, No. 1). Last almost copper-like in appearance. Close to Perfect. 3 Pcs.

694 Same. Tokens. 1865 T-12, No. 1; T-13 (Burnie wrong on this one), No. 1. Liberty heads, 10 and 14 stars. Also, 1881. Obv. S16, Rev. S4 (Burnie pp. 64-5). Mostly Perfect; last rare, but a little bent. 3 Pcs.

695 ROUND QUARTERS. 1849 Liberty head, 9 stars (Token, unlisted, rev. of T-44); 1853 Indian head, 13 stars (Token, T-34, No. 2, except that ear is not visible). Also, 1880. Appears to be S9. Abt. Perfect; third desirable. 3 Pcs.

696 OCTAGONAL HALVES. 1853 Indian head, 13 stars (Token, T-34, No. 3); 1857 Similar (Unlisted, called Lee A-4a, obv. like T-5 but 13 stars, rev. of T-6, No. 5). Also, 1875. S1. Mostly Unc. (2) and Proof. On the basis of the last, supposedly worth $27.50. 3 Pcs.

697 Same. Supplement items. 1875 S1; 1880 S9; 1880 Unlisted, this one like S10 but small stars and crude open wreath with only 12 berries, not the same as S1. Proofs. Better than the preceding lots, and (according to Burnie) worth around $32.50. 3 Pcs.

698 ROUND HALVES. 1855 Indian head, 13 stars (Token, T-34, No. 4); 1856 Liberty head, 13 stars (Token, T-10, No. 8, but unlisted date); 1858 Different Liberty head, etc. (Token, nearest to T-10, CALIFORNIA GOLD). Mostly Unc. 3 Pcs.

699 Same. 1860 Indian head, 13 stars, as are the following two (Token, T-34, No. 4, but unlisted date); 1876 S3 (obverse die of B-131); 1880 S8 (obverse die of B-136). Just about Perfect, last a Proof. The second and third pieces prove the connection of the Supplement items with some of the later ones showing the word DOLLAR, for what it is worth. Supposedly worth above $28.50. 3 Pcs.

FIFTY DOLLAR GOLD PIECES OR "SLUGS"
Augustus Humbert, U. S. Assayer, California 1851

700 **1851. Fifty Dollars.** Standing eagle holding shield and arrows; ribbon in his beak. Scroll above, **880** (punched in) **THOUS.** Around, UNITED STATES OF AMERICA; below, 50 (punched in) D.C. Rev. Mass of engine turning in twenty-four "waves," surrounded by a cord-like border. **Plain target centre** (without "50"), composed of twelve fine circular lines; wedge like or triangular shaped dots around. The octagonal **edge lettered;** AUGUSTUS / HUMBERT / UNITED / STATES / ASSAYER / OF GOLD / ALIFORNIA / 1851 (commencing at the bottom of the obverse, the lettering facing up). Adams 11B; Part III, p. 57. Struck at the Assay Office of Moffat & Co., Montgomery St., San Francisco, under contract with the U. S. Treasury Dept., authorized by Act of Congress, Sept. 30, 1850. Better than Very Fine; obtained as Ex. Fine. Impaired at the

lower right rev. edge during manufacture; a few tiny obverse feld nicks. A remarkably clean example of this rare coin. Ex J. G. MacAllister. **Plate**

The Allegedly Unique, "Rays from Central Star" Reverse Variety

701 **1851. Fifty Dollars.** From the same obverse die as the last (by C. C. Wright); **fineness 880.** Rev. Mass of engine turning, terminating in twelve "waves," surrounded by a cord-like border, not unlike that upon the last. **At centre, a twelve-pointed star containing six bold rings** or circular lines **with a raised "center dot," from which radiate twelve broken lines suggesting rays** (composed of irregularly formed ridges of metal). **Edge lettered,** on the order of the last; CALIFORNIA complete, the date at the bottom of the obverse. Close to Uncirculated; everything sharp and clearly impressed, including the edge lettering. Almost completely free of handling marks or nicks, and showing hardly any surface wear or friction, the result (in part) of clever touching up or retooling. The obverse field "proof-like." In our opinion, a quickly rejected trial reverse design that slipped into circulation. Apparently rescued early by an initiated collector who recognized it for what it was, and who attempted to restore it. Unknown to Edgar Adams, and other authorities. Not to be confused with the relatively similar piece once owned by A. Riemers of San Francisco, which had a fineness of 887, and "50" punched in the centre of the reverse. The Reimers coin, like Adams 11A (Gregory coll., S. H. Chapman, 1916), had a forged (reengraved) reverse, and was nothing more than a fabricated variety intended to deceive. **This is the only specimen known to us after extensive research, and undoubtedly of the greatest value and importance.** Unconditionally guaranteed (as with everything we sell) to be genuine and as represented. Ex Peltzer coll., MacAllister. **Plate**

SEXY 3000—

Repolished to be proof Obv & edge rim

This item first appeared in the fine collection of Richard F. Peltzer, cataloged by Spink & Son, Ltd., and sold by Glendining & Co., Ltd. (also of London), June 20-24, 1927. It was listed as lot 50, illustrated on Plate I, and purchased by Spinks (presumably for an American account) for 125 Pounds (approximately $625.). The catalogers considered this coin to be the showpiece of the entire collection, and devoted an entire paragraph to it in their preface to the catalog. "Mention must, however, be made of the wonderful Californian octagonal 50-dollar slug in brilliant proof state (Lot 50). This piece has been absolutely untouched since the time of its striking and has been carefully preserved under glass, so that it forms a piece of the very highest desirability. It may be confidently expected that it will surpass in price the record set up by the Zabriskie specimen in 1909 of 1,000 dollars." Prior to the actual sale of the coin, however, the unfortunate rumor was passed that the piece was reengraved. Since Spinks capitalized upon the splendid condition of the item rather than the all important reverse (which was accurately described), the sale price suffered.

Illustrated upon p. 201 of the current issue of the Whitman Guidebook, and there unpriced.

702 **1851. Fifty Dollars.** Standing eagle design similar to that on two foregoing; dies of superior execution by Albert Küner. **880 THOUS.** upon scroll; FIFTY DOLLS. below eagle, all in relief (not incused or punched in). Around the beaded border containing the central design and inscription; AUGUSTUS / HUMBERT / UNITED / STATES / ASSAYER / OF GOLD / CALIFORNIA, date 1851. below. Rev. Concentric lathe work; **large target-like centre. Reeded edge.** Octagonal, as are all of these. Adams 14; Part II, p. 54. Strictly Very Fine. An exceptional specimen, almost completely free of the numerous flaws so common upon these large, heavy coins. Very rare. Ex Bolender. **Plate**

3RD CHOICE + 875—

703 **1851. Fifty Dollars.** Very similar to the last, but from entirely different dies, obv. and rev. **887 THOUS.** upon slightly larger scroll; without periods after AMERICA and DOLLS. Rev. Smaller area of lathe work; **very large target-like centre. Reeded edge.** Adams 13; P-II, p. 54. Extremely Fine. While much sharper and bolder than the last, this piece shows noticeable weakness at AUGUSTUS and CALIFORNIA in the obv. legend, and at the corresponding bottom part of the reverse. Cleaned upon the front, and with a very few pin-point nicks and scratches of minor consequence. Not quite as rare as the 880 THOUS. variety, but unusually difficult to locate so fine. **Plate**

AU-55 975—

Edgar H. Adams in his monumental work on the series, "The Private Gold Coinage of California, 1849-55, Its History and its Issues" (in IV Parts, 1911-13), considered both of the above coins as from the same dies. However, slight or cursory examination of our plates will reveal his error, as our descriptions indicate.

704 **1852. Fifty Dollars.** On the order of the first two reeded edge types, but of slightly different design (as noted by Adams). **887 THOUS.** in large figures and letters, somewhat cramped upon a shortened scroll, the ends of which turn outward to a marked degree. The eagle smaller, and entirely free from the denomination at bottom. Periods after AMERICA and DOLLS.; the date small and weak. Rev. Similar to the two preceding, but entirely different in execution; **small target-like centre. Reeded edge.** Adams 15; P-II, p. 54. Fine. Somewhat bruised upon the obverse edge in particular; two file-like marks at the upper right reverse border. Superior to the Adams illustration of the variety, as is also the case with lot 702 (A-14). Very rare, almost extremely so, the coinage of "Humbert" slugs bearing this date limited to 3,390 pieces. Struck prior to the complete dissolution of Moffat & Co., February 16, 1852. **Plate**

Large Plate 675

Moffat & Co., composed of John L. Moffat, Joseph R. Curtis, Samuel H. Ward and Philo H. Perry, dissolved by mutual consent on Dec. 24, 1851, Mr Moffat leaving the organization. Even so, the three remaining partners were permitted to continue the business "under the name and style of Moffat & Co." On February 16, 1852, a new co-partnership under the name of "Curtis, Perry & Ward" was formed to continue the operations of the old "Moffat & Co." The U.S. Treasury Department contract for "Smelting and Assaying Gold in California" was transferred to the new partnership, and was so announced by them upon the same date. Adams, on p. 55, states that "The newly organized firm naturally wished to issue coins bearing their distinctive stamp immediately, and such pieces, with the stamp of the 'United States Assay Office of Gold' very soon made their appearance."

U. S. Assay Office of Gold, San Francisco 1852

705 **1852. Fifty Dollars.** Central device with eagle holding ribbon in his beak, on the order of the foregoing. **887 THOUS.** upon a small scroll, not unlike that on Adams 14 (lot 702); the ends turned under. Without period after AMERICA; period after DOLLS. and close date, 1852. Around a somewhat coarse beaded border, UNITED / STATES / ASSAY / OFFICE / OF GOLD / SAN FRANCISCO / CALIFORNIA. Rev. Almost identical to that upon A-14. **Reeded edge.** Adams 19; P-II, p. 56. Struck by the firm of Curtis, Perry & Ward between February and October, 1852. Almost Extremely Fine; in spite of a very few minute nicks, an unusually clean and highly desirable specimen. Far superior to the pieces illustrated by both Adams and the Guidebook; one of the very best seen. According to Mr. Clarke, from the W. B. Hale collection, sold by B. Max Mehl in 1939. **Plate**

SHARPER 3RD CHOICE EF-40 875

706 **1852. Fifty Dollars.** Very similar to the last, but from entirely different dies, obv. and rev. **900 THOUS.** in large characters, cramped upon a shortened scroll, the ends of which are turned outward; very much like the scroll on the '52 "Humbert" slug. Period after both DOLLS. and a widely spaced date, the latter large as upon the above. Rev. Small target like centre, on the order of A-15 also. **Reeded edge.** Adams 20; P-II, p. 56. Struck by Curtis, Perry & Ward in the late autumn of 1852; believed to be the last issue of this denomination by that firm, no "slugs" bearing the date 1853 being known. Very Fine. While almost as sharp as lot 705, this piece shows evidence of considerable handling. Its main detraction is a serious obverse rim dent at the top right. There is also a gouge-like flaw running along the edge at OF GOLD, which appears to be a manufacturing fault. Hardly a top-flight example, but well above average. Considered scarcer than the last. Also believed to be ex Hale. **Plate**

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175 707 **Bechtler Gold Dollar.** (1842-52.) A. BECHTLER. Rev. CAROLINA GOLD. around, 21.c. at bottom; 27.g. at c. Plain edge. Ex. Fine; minor rim cut impairment (apparently from striking). Scarce and very popular.

708 **Miners Bank Pattern Eagle.** (1849.) Eagle with extended wings, shield on breast, holding laurel branch and arrows. Above, CALIFORNIA; around, thirteen stars. Rev. At top, MINERS, BANK., below, SAN FRANCISCO; at centre, TEN. D., a star on either side. Reeded edge. **Struck in copper, from the regular dies.** Adams 62. Ex. Fine, apparently once cleaned. Ex R. H. Brock, Univ. of Pa. collections. RRR. **Plate**

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The above trial was presumably made in November, 1849 by Wright & Co. of San Francisco. Their gold issues met with little favor, owing to their being below face value ($9.65, $9.75, $9.87, etc.), and on Jan. 14, 1850, the firm dissolved.

709 **Dubosq & Co. Pattern Eagle.** 1850. Liberty head l. Extraordinarily similar to the regular U. S. Eagle upon both sides. Rev. Around, S.M.V. CALIFORNIA GOLD.; below, TEN D. Extremely thin trial die impressions or "Squeezings," undoubtedly made before the dies were hardened. The obverse and reverse struck

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separate, in a fusible alloy composition, composed of tin and antimony, etc. Not of course, known to E.H.A. Uncirculated. Found in the effects of J. B. Longacre (the famous Mint engraver), and believed by us to be his work. The finest impressions by far extant from the dies. Unique. 2 Pcs. **Plate**

Theodore Dubosq Sr. was a noted Philadelphia Jeweler at the same time Longacre was active in Mint affairs. The above offered trials were purchased at our 38th auction, that of the '52 A.N.A. sale, lot 4528.

710 **The Model Series.** Half Eagle. 1849. Eagle with outspread wings, surrounded by thirteen large stars. Rev. Within an olive wreath, MODEL / HALF / EAGLE; above, CALIFORNIA; below, the date 1849. Reeded edge. Brass. Adams 100. Abt. Unc., lustrous. The best that we have handled.

711 Another. Very Fine; tarnished. Equal to the specimen that realized $16. in the '52 A.N.A. sale, lot 4531.

712 A third. At least VF; badly tarnished and stained. Ex Brand coll.

713 The last two. Fine or better. A splendid opportunity. 2 Pcs.

714 Half Dollar. 1849. Similar eagle; thirteen stars, date below. Rev. Above, CALIFORNIA; within a crude wreath, MODEL; below, HALF DOLLAR. Plain edge. Brass. Adams 103. Ex. Fine. The first in these sales. RR; records to $25.00.

715 **Mormon Pattern Half Eagle.** 1860. Reclining lion; three mountains in the background. Around, in small characters, in the Mormon alphabet, HOLINESS TO THE LORD; the date, in small figures, below. Rev. Small, emaciated eagle with beehive, holding branch and arrows. Inscription, beginning at top left: DESERET ASSAY OFFICE; at l., the letters inverted, PURE GOLD; 5.D. at bottom. Plain edge. Copper. The obverse die badly cracked; the reverse slightly off-center and badly double struck. Very Fine. Excessively rare, if not unique. Ex A. Kosoff. **Plate**

The above lot is totally unlike the regularly issued Mormon Five Dollars of 1860, even though the general type is similar. In a biographical sketch of George Ferdinand Albrecht Küner, Edgar H. Adams claimed that he was commissioned to cut the dies for the Deseret Assay Office Half Eagle (Part III, p. 94). In the same paragraph Adams quotes a Robert Schaezlein as saying that Küner made a gold pattern piece presented to Brigham Young, the obverse as above, but without date and inscription. On the other hand, S. L. McGarry, in an article published in the Numismatist a few years ago, entitled "Mormon Money," states that J. M. Barlow, assisted by a Douglas Brown, prepared the 1860 dies. McGarry illustrated what appear to be trial pieces (courtesy of "The Deseret News") of "the second issue of the 1860 $5 gold piece." His obverse (from a distorted photo) seems to be identical with that on lot 715; the reverse, however, appears to be from the die accepted. McGarry commented: "A $5 gold piece also dated 1860, designed by J. M. Barlow was discovered in 1909. The more common variety has a crouched lion on a plain background; the less common type has mountains engraved behind the crouched lion. The mountains mark the only distinction between the two coins."

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U. S. Gold Coins

716 **Double Eagles.** 1851. Better than V. Fine. Cleaned; numerous minute handling nicks, mainly upon the obverse.

717 1854. Regularly found "Small date" variety. Abt. Ex. Fine, on the order of the last. An uncommon date, not in the Dr. Peake collection, sold by us on June 17th last.

718 1862 "S". Fine to V. Fine. Cleaner than most. Valued in the Guidebook at $50. Fine.

719 1874 "S". Abt. Very Fine; mishandled. With two small obverse rim bruises, together with one or two important handling digs. Still, better than this mintmark is generally found.

720 1875 "S". Strictly Very Fine or better, the obverse hardly bold. Obtained as "EF-AU," and really a nice coin.

721 1879 "S". Not quite V. Fine; minor obverse rim bruise.

722 1880 "S". Very Fine. Pin-point obverse rim nick; scratch like mark upon Liberty's neck.

723 1885 "S". Fully Ex. Fine. Lustrous. Equal to the Dr. Peake specimen.

724 1888 "S". Very Fine plus. Few minor abrasion defects.

725 1889 "S". Also Very Fine.

726 1891 "S". Choice Unc. With the usual evidence of handling; a small reverse rim nick particularly noticeable. One of the best examples that we have seen. Worth a premium so.

727 1895. Odd digit "5" in date; space between the upper part of loop and top of numeral filled, apparently in striking. Almost Uncirculated. Well above average and decidedly interesting.

728 1896. Uncirculated. With a few minor indications of "bag handling," but still highly desirable.

729 1897 "S". Only a hair's breadth from Unc. Comparatively clean.
780 1898 "S". Ex. Fine-Abt. Unc. Brilliant, but showing definite evidence of contact with other coins.
731 A duplicate. In equal condition; small, gash-like nick upon Liberty's cheek. Neither of these equals the Peake piece which brought all of $80.00.
732 1899. Not quite Unc. Few unimportant obverse abrasion marks.
733 1903 "S". Uncirculated, except for a few tiny nicks and scratches, found mainly upon the obverse. Like lot 726, superior to the best that Dr. Peake could locate.
734 1904. Called "gem" Unc. by the owner, who did not see a few obvious obverse field nicks, together with a rim nick or so. However, this coin does have a magnificent reverse.
735 1904 "S". Very Fine. Relatively clean and desirable. Scarcer than the last, in any condition.
736 1906 "S". Abt. Unc. With several small obverse nicks.
737 1907. St. Gaudens type. Modified design; lower relief. Arabic date; without motto upon reverse. Strictly Very Fine. Underrated.
738 1908. No Motto. Almost Unc. Bright and lustrous. Lists at $65. Perfect.
739 Another. Almost as nice; infinitesimal signs of handling.
740 1910 "D". Just a shade from Unc. Attractive, frosty mint surface.
741 1911 "D". Extremely Fine.
742 1924. Mostly brilliant Unc. Desirable, in spite of a hardly visible reverse planchet defect at the eagle's tail and two or three tiny rev. rim nicks. Valued to $75. so nice.
743 A duplicate. Cleaner than the last; the surface retaining its original mint bloom. Lightest rubbing upon Liberty's extended left knee. A really uncommon date.
744 1925. Abt. Unc. Fully bright; the obverse displaying slight friction upon the high spots. Scarce, listing at $100. Unc.
745 1927. Almost Unc. Brilliant and lustrous. The way these coins are almost always found. Another uncommon date.
746 1928. Brilliant Uncirculated. An excellent "type" coin!
747 **Eagles.** 1853. Very Fine.
748 1881. Extremely Fine; lustrous. Superior to Dr. Peake's coin.
749 1882. About Uncirculated. Rather nice.
750 1899. Also Abt. Unc. Dullish, attractive frosty surface.
751 1901. Choice Unc., almost perfect. Nice, in spite of one or two minute imperfections.
752 1901 "S". Brilliant Unc. As we remarked in our 46th catalog, the Green, Menjou and Davis-Graves coins were only VF.
753 1906 "D". First year of issue from Denver. Choice Unc. Slightest evidence of contact with other coins. Better than the Peake specimen, as is the last.
754 1907 "D". Second and last year of the type. Very Fine or so.
755 1907. St. Gaudens design with Indian head. Regular issue; without periods. Abt. Unc. Brilliant and clean surfaced, although not particularly bold.
756 1910 "D". Just about Uncirculated; sharper than the last. Also nicer than Dr. Peake's example.
757 1915. Better than Ex. Fine. Remarkably clean.
758 1926. A coin that would be "gem" Uncirculated, were it not for a very few tiny surface nicks.
759 Another. Close to choice Unc. Minute reverse nick upon eagle's left wing.
760 **Half Eagles.** 1834. Plain 4 in date; date partially recut. Abt. V. Fine. Reverse border nick.
761 1854. Ex. Fine; lustrous. The Peake specimen was only Very Fine.
762 1861. Not quite VF; few unimportant defects.
763 1880 and 1905 "S". Fine and about V. Fine. 2 Pcs.
764 1895. Strictly Very Fine. Slightly proof-like in appearance.
765 1906 "D". First year of coinage from Denver. Almost perfect. Unc. Hardly a sharp impression, but a clean coin retaining considerable mint bloom. A popular "type" item!
766 1909 "S". Pratt Indian head design. Very Fine. Scarce; not in the Peake offering.
767 1911 and 1913. V. Fine and Abt. Unc. Last desirable. 2 Pcs.
768 **Three Dollars Gold.** 1854. First year of issue. Very Fine.
769 1854 "O". Fine to V. Fine. Slight evidence of reverse handling. An underrated "type" coin, being the only issue of this denomination from New Orleans.
770 1855. Very Fine.

771 1855 "S". Good to V. Good. Only 6,600 coined. Obtained from us, some years ago.
772 1856 "S". Small "S" variety. Strictly Fine. Valued in the Guidebook at $30.00.
773 1857. Fine to V. Fine. Lightly scratched upon the obverse, particularly after the final S in STATES.
774 1860. Unc., or very close to it. Lustrous and choice. Lists to $47.50 so.
775 **1863.** Strictly Very Fine; partial high wire edge upon both sides. Only 5,039 coined in all. Decidedly undervalued in the Guidebook.
776 **1867.** Abt. Very Fine. Few minute defects upon the reverse. Really rare; only 2,600 regularly struck. Likewise underpriced.
777 **1870.** Abt. Unc., proof-like lustre. Unimportant edge impairment upon both sides. Some 3,500 "business strikes" made. Easily a $50. coin.
778 1874. Apparently struck as a Proof, now only Ex. Fine. Valued at $100. by the consignor, which is, of course, too high.
779 1888. Uncirculated, mostly choice. Limited coinage of 5,206 pieces.
780 **Quarter Eagles.** 1836. Fine. Two small obverse rim nicks.
781 1843 "O". Small date. Fine or better. Nice, even wear.
782 1845. Very Fine. Obverse rim nick.
783 1853. Abt. Unc. Lustrous and brilliant.
784 1854 "O". Very Fine plus. A nice little coin!
785 1855. Ex. Fine or better. Considerable mint lustre still remaining.
786 1857. Abt. V. Fine. Two nicks in the right reverse field; one insignificant reverse rim nick.
787 1859. Also close to Very Fine. Scarcer than the last.
788 1861. Abt. Unc. Frosty mint bloom.
789 1873. Extremely Fine.
790 1878. Extremely Fine. These Liberty head Quarter Eagles are becoming harder to obtain all the time.
791 1889. Extremely Fine. Uncommon late date. Coinage of 17,600 pieces.
792 1893. Uncirculated. Obverse rim nick. Another "better" date.
793 1905. Just about Unc. Dullish, frosty surface.
794 1906. Almost Unc. Lustrous. Easily worth $12.50 so.
795 1907. Last year of the type. Brill. Unc. Lists at $15.00.
796 **Gold Dollars.** 1850 "O". Very Fine; two reverse rim defects. Only 14,000 struck, the lowest "O" mint coinage for this denomination. Very scarce.
797 1851 "O". Extremely Fine. Valued to $15. so; underrated in the Whitman publication.
798 1852 "O". Abt. Ex. Fine. Unusually sharp; rather dull in appearance.
799 1857. Uncirculated; unimportant indications of handling. With considerable original lustre.
800 1858. Extremely Fine.
801 1859. Not quite Ex. Fine. Slight, unimportant mishandling at the edges.
802 1889. Last year of issue. Brilliant "gem" Uncirculated.

U. S. Fractional Currency

803 FIRST ISSUE. **5¢, 10¢, 25¢, 50¢.** A.B.N. Co. on back; plain edges. Raymond 5, 6, 7, 8. Friedberg 1230, 1242, 1281, 1312. Ex. Fine (2) and Unc. (2). The 5¢ with traces of gum upon the reverse; the 10¢ reverse well off-center. Valued at $12.00. 4 Pcs.
804 —**25¢.** No A.B.N. Co.; perforated edges. R-11; F-1280. Fine. Also, **5¢.** Similar; plain edges. R-13; F-1231. Uncirculated. List at $6. and $20. (Friedberg), the last rare and valuable. 2 Pcs.
805 —**50¢.** No A.B.N. Co.; plain edges. R-16; F-1313. Abt. VF; slightly stained at r. reverse end. Valued by Raymond at $15. Fine; Friedberg $20. VF. Unappreciated and important.
806 SECOND ISSUE. **5¢, 10¢.** Value Surcharge on back only. R-17, 18; F-1232, 1244. Also, **5¢.** Additional Surcharge 18-63. R-21; F-1233. Unc., EF and V. Fine. Should bring $3.50. 3 Pcs.
807 THIRD ISSUE. Green backs. **3¢, 5¢.** First with light curtain. R-30, 31; F-1226, 1238. Crisp New. Desirable. 2 Pcs.
808 —**5¢, 10¢.** Design letter a; design numeral 1. R-31a, 32a; F-1239, 1256. Choice Unc., V. Fine. Scarce pair, worth to $9.50 (Friedberg). 2 Pcs.
809 —**50¢.** Spinner; three varieties. Plain paper; design numeral 1. R-39b; F-1333. Rev. Surcharge A-2-6-5. R-40; F-1335. T-2; 50 in centre. R-41; F-1339. V. Fine, Abt. VF, EF. List in Friedberg at $21. VF. 3 Pcs.

811 — **50¢.** Justice. Autographed, Colby & Spinner. R-51; F-1355. Choice Unc. Underrated by Raymond; listed in Friedberg at $20.00.

812 FOURTH ISSUE. **10¢.** Plain, watermarked paper; Pink Silk Fibre paper. R-57, 61; F-1257, 1258. **25¢.** Pink Silk Fibre. R-63; F-1302. **50¢** (2). Pink Silk Fibre. R-64; F-1375. V. Fine to Ex. Fine. Worth $11.75 VF, according to Friedberg. 5 Pcs.

813 —**10¢.** Blue ends, Violet Fibre. R-65; F-1259. **10¢, 25¢.** Similar; smaller Treasury seal. R-68, 70; F-1261, 1307. Lastly, **50¢.** Stanton. R-71; F-1376. Unc., EF (2) and V. Good. 4 Pcs.

814 FIFTH ISSUE. **10¢, 50¢.** Green Treasury seal. R-72, 73; F-1264, 1379. Crisp New and V. Fine. Listed at $7.50 in Friedberg. 2 Pcs.

815 — **10¢.** Short key. **25¢.** Both varieties, long and short key in seal. **50¢.** All with Red Treas. seal. R-76, 75, 77, 78; F-1266, 1308, 1309, 1380. Mostly Unc. 4 Pcs.

U. S. CURRENCY

816 **Legal Tender Notes. $1.,** 1862, No A.B.N. Co., Friedberg 16; **$1.,** 1880, Bruce & Gilfillan, L. Brown seal, F-29; **$5.,** 1907, Teehee & Burke, F-88; **$1.,** 1917, Teehee & Burke, F-39; **$2.,** 1917, Speelman & White, F-60. First two Good and Fine; last three V. Fine to EF, mostly nice. 5 Pcs.

817 **Coin Notes. $2.** Series of 1890. Rosecrans & Huston. L. Brown (Spikes) seal. F-353. Abt. Fine. Well washed and creased, but definitely acceptable. Very rare in any condition above Fair. Valued by Friedberg at $75. VF, this note should realize at least $30.00.

818 — **$1.** Series of 1891. Tillman & Morgan. Small red seal. F-351. Ex. Fine. Partly crisp, attractive margins. Single pin hole slightly l. of center.

819 —**$1.** 1891. Bruce & Roberts. Same seal. F-352. Like the last, but showing some evidence of folding; not quite as attractive. Both this lot and 818 list in Friedberg at $15. VF, $27.50 New.

820 **Silver Certificates. $1.** Series of 1886. Rosecrans & Hyatt. L. Red (Spikes) seal. F-217. Very Fine to Ex. Fine. Nicely centered; slightest signs of creasing. Scarce; superior to the one in our 37th sale (1952). Lists at $20. VF.

821 — **$10.** 1886. Signatures and seal as last. F-293. Very Fine, although the overall appearance somewhat dull. Seldom found better. Friedberg at $45. VF.

822 — **$10.** Series of 1891. Tillman & Morgan. Small red seal. F-299. Strictly Very Fine. A $35. item in Friedberg, which seems a trifle high.

823 — **$10.** 1891. Lyons & Roberts. Same seal. F-301. Ex. Fine. Choice, retaining some crispness. The remarks pertaining to the last are equally applicable here.

824 —**$1.** Series of 1896. Tillman & Morgan. Small red seal. F-224. Ex. Fine. The famous "History Instructing Youth" design.

825 — **$1.** Series of 1899. Lyons & Roberts; Lyons & Treat. Blue seal, as on all following. F-226, 227. Very Fine pair. Now listed by Friedberg at $10. each so. 2 Pcs.

826 —**$1.** 1899. Vernon & Treat; Elliott & White; Speelman & White. F-228, 235, 236. First and last Ex. Fine, the F-235 almost New. 3 Pcs.

827 —**$1.** 1899. Napier & McClung; Teehee & Burke. F-230, 233. Just about Perfect. List at $7.50 each. 2 Pcs.

828 — **$2.** 1899. Lyons & Roberts. F-249. Fine to VF, slight obverse impairment at l. center. In addition, **$2.** Vernon & Treat; Vernon & McClung. F-251, 252. V. Fine and Abt. EF. First a $12.50 item VF; last listed at $9. each VF. 3 Pcs.

829 — **$2.** 1899. Parker & Burke; Teehee & Burke. F-255, 256. V. Fine to EF; first badly wrinkled in two places at the lower margin. Also valued by Friedberg at $9. each VF. 2 Pcs.

830 — **$5.** 1899. Napier & McClung. F-275. Choice Unc. Catalogs at $25.00.

831 — **$5.** 1899. Teehee & Burke. F-278. Obtained as New, but not quite perfect. Overpriced (like many of these '99's by Friedberg) at $25. also!

832 —**$5.** 1899. Vernon & McClung. F-274. Abt. V. Fine. Plus, **$1.** Series of 1923. Speelman & White; Woods & White. F-237, 238. Crisp Unc. and close to it, the last a bit crinkled. 3 Pcs.

833 **Reduced Size Notes.** LEGAL TENDER NOTES. **$2.** 1928-C. Julian & Morgenthau. Red seal. F-1388. Plus, **$2.** 1928-D. Same sigs., seal. F-1389. Crisp Unc. and EF, creased. Valued to $15.00. 2 Pcs.

834 SILVER CERTIFICATES. **$1.** 1928-A. Woods & Mellon. Blue seal, as on all following. F-1401. Plus, **$1.** 1935. Julian & Morgenthau. F-1407. Crisp Unc. 2 Pcs.

835 —**$1.** Various. 1935-A, Julian & Morgenthau; 1935-B, Julian & Vinson; 1935-C, Julian & Snyder; 1935-D, Clarke & Snyder; 1935-E, Priest & Humphrey. F-1408, 09, 10, 11, the last current. Crisp set. Listed at $14.50. 5 Pcs.

836 — **$5.** 1934-D. Clarke & Snyder. F-1418. Crisp Unc. Valued in Friedberg at $9.00.

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837 INDIAN PEACE MEDALS ISSUED IN THE UNITED STATES. B. L. Belden. Published by the A.N.S., 1927. 46pp. 22 Plates. Paper covers. No. 296 of only 350 printed. Covers frayed and a little foxed; text almost as new. Rare. Records to $13.00.

838 INDIAN CHIEF MEDALS. M. A. Jamieson. Spink, 1936. 124pp. Extensively illustrated. Paper. Backstrip a little frayed; text almost new. The standard work, a must for Canadian and U.S. specialists. Also, A HISTORY OF BANKING & CURRENCY IN OHIO BEFORE THE CIVIL WAR. C. C. Huntington. Vol. XXIV, No. 3 of the Ohio Archaeological & Historical Quarterly, July 1915. 304pp., tables, charts. Paper; similar condition. 2 Pcs.

839 BANK NOTE REPORTERS AND COUNTERFEIT DETECTORS, 1826-1866. W. H. Dillistin. A.N.S. Monograph #114 (1949). 175pp. 19 Plates. New; rebound in red buckram, gold stamping on backstrip. A valuable reference for every collector interested in obsolete notes.

840 THE MEDALLIC HISTORY OF THE UNITED STATES, 1776-1876. J. F. Loubat. 1878. In two large Folio volumes; Vol. I, text (478pp.), Vol. II, plates (86). Stained cloth covers; contents almost perfect. A few plates slightly foxed. From Henry Chapman in 1934 at $50. Very limited issue, privately printed and rarely offered. The absolute standard. 2 Pcs.

Property of Dr. P. W. Whiteley, Denver, Colo.

841 **Hudson's Bay Co. Tokens.** Undated, c. 1857. Arms of the Company within thin oak wreath. Rev. Legend in four lines; HB (Hudson's Bay) / EM (East Maine) / 1 (denomination) / NB (Made Beaver, should have been "MB"). Set of four, 1, ½, ¼ and ⅛ "made Beaver skin." Brass; reeded edges. Trade checks, made for use in the East Maine district, east and south of Hudson's Bay. Not popular with the Indians, and soon withdrawn. Abt. Unc., slightly tarnished. Becoming rare; extremely popular. 4 Pcs.

842 **Indian Traders Tokens.** M. E. KIRK, GALLUP, N. M(exico). 5, 25(¢) Plain; 25(¢) stamped K B several times upon both sides, N (twice) in addition upon the obv. Lastly, 100(¢) stamped K B upon a smooth obverse. Aluminum; plain edges. First three Fine to VF, last hardly identifiable. Interesting territorial items. 4 Pcs.

843 Similar. Set of three, as above; but lacking the countermarked 25(¢). Abt. Ex. Fine (2) and Fair. Well worth $5.00. 3 Pcs.

844 LEE & REYNOLDS / CAMP / SUPPLY / IND(ian). TER(ritory). Rev. In six lines; GOOD FOR / ONE DOLLAR / IN / MERCHANDISE / IN OUR INDIAN / TRADE. Highly ornamented with scroll and floral work. Brass; lightly reeded edge. 25mm. Strictly Very Fine. Rare.

845 POST EXCHANGE; FORT D. A. RUSSELL, WYO. Set: 5¢ (2); 10¢ (3); 25¢ (2); 50¢ (2); $1.00. Brass; plain edges. All different; various sizes, one hexagonal. Mostly Fine, but badly stained and partially corroded. Said to have been dug up near the Fort. The most complete set seen. 10 Pcs.

846 S(eth). E. WARD. SUTLER U.S.A. FORT LARAMIE D(akota). T(erritory). around. In center; GOOD FOR / 50c / IN SUTLERS / GOODS. Also, 25c similar. Copper; reverses incuse. 32, 28mm. Abt. V. Fine, crudely made. Rare. 2 Pcs.

847 HOWARD WILSON, INDIAN TRADER, GALLUP, N. M(exico). 25¢ and $1.00. Brass; plain edges. Fine to V. Fine. Clean; superior to the pair in our 45th sale, April 22, 1955. 2 Pcs.

848 **Colorado Dollars.** 1933. State seal within circle; ONE OUNCE OF PURE SILVER; below, SOUVENIR. Rev. A CENTURY OF PROGRESS; date between WORLD'S FAIR; within circle, USE / SILVER / TO RESTORE / PROSPERITY / TRADE MARK/COLO. Silver; plain edge. Incuse. Kenney 168. Very Fine. Cost $10.00.

849 Another. Well worn, but fully legible. First that we have seen so.

CONTINENTAL CURRENCY
(Reconsigned from our Forty-Fifth sale, April 22, 1955)

850 THE UNITED COLONIES. **Philadelphia, Nov. 29, 1775. $1** (2), **$2, $3** (7), **$4** (7), **$5** (6), **$6** (6), **$7** (10), **$8** (5). Collection of different signature combinations; only two of the forty-four notes being duplicates. One $7 is signed by Matthew Clarkson (Continental Congress member). Fair (1) to about Unc., the average Fine or better. An excellent lot for the collector of "signers;" included is a list of the signers of the Nov. '75 issue. This was lot 372; 4/22/55. It realized $87.50. 44 Pcs.

851 **Philadelphia, Feb. 17, 1776. $1/6** "A" (5), "B" (2), "C" (2); **$1/3** "A" (3), "C" (2); **$½** "A" (4), "C" (1); **$2/3** "B" and "C" (8). Lot of fractional notes, including many different signers. In the usual condition; "wretched" to almost Ex. Fine, but definitely above average as a group. In album pages, as are all five of these reconsigned lots, with signature and other data. Included is a list of Feb., 1776 signers. This was lot 378; 4/22/55. It realized $34.00. 27 Pcs.

852 **$1** (3), **$2** (2), **$3** (4), **$4** (7), **$5** (4), **$6** (5), **$7** (7) and **$8** (10). Collection of all different signature combinations; not a duplicate in the lot. V. Good to about Unc., several seemingly close to crisp newness; the average Fine. Another "signers" lot, well worth a good price to the specialist. This was lot 383; 4/22/55. It realized $77.50. 42 Pcs.

853 **Philadelphia, July 22, 1776. $2** (2), **$3** (2), **$4** (3), **$5** (5), **$6** (7), **$7** (9), **$8** (6) and **$30** (10). Collection of different signature combinations; only three duplicates in the lot. From Good or so (6) to Ex. Fine (5), the majority Fine and VF. Several really choice. With a list of signers for the July 22nd issue, together with other important information. Like all of these, should be seen. This was lot 392; 4/22/55. It realized $92.50. 44 Pcs.

854 THE UNITED STATES OF NORTH AMERICA. **Jan. 14, 1779. $2** (3), **$3** (6), **$4** (4), **$5** (4), **$20** (9), **$30** (8), **$35** (2), **$40** (4), **$45** (10), **$50** (9), **$55** (6), **$60** (5), **$65** (7), **$70** (3) and **$80.** Another specialized collection of different signature combinations, without duplicates. Attractive red and black notes. V. Fair (3) to Ex. Fine (at least 15); the average about Fine. Inserted in the informative album pages; complete with list of signers. Valued at $450. in Fine (in the new WR book); can only increase in value and interest. This was lot 458; 4/22/55. It realized $165.00. 81 Pcs.

UNCUT SHEETS OF OBSOLETE CURRENCY
The Property of Frank Sprinkle, Bluefield, West Va.

855 **Alabama.** EUFAULA. $10, 10, 10, 20: EASTERN BANK OF ALABAMA. Unsgd. Beautifully engraved red & black notes by the American Bank Note Co. "Negro Picking Cotton" vignette at the l. end of the 10's, as copied on the 9/2/61 CSA $10., Chase 128. **Connecticut.** STONINGTON. $5, 5, 10, 20; $5, 5, 5, 10; $1, 1, 2, 3: STONINGTON BANK. All unsgd. Last two red & black; the low denomination sheet exceptionally nice. Mostly Unc., the second Stonington badly creased. 4 Pcs.

856 **Florida.** TALLAHASSEE. Strip of three 50¢ State notes, Feb. 2, 1863. Plain paper and backs. Bradbeer 20. Sgd. Unc., cut close; two tiny pieces missing at the bottom. **Georgia.** AUGUSTA. $5, 10, 10, 20; $5, 5, 5, 5; $4, 4, 4, 4; $1, 1, 1, 2 (two, both different): BANK OF AUGUSTA. First partly sgd. (1836), the third printed on back of fractional notes. Ex. Fine to Unc. 6 Pcs.

857 **Iowa.** COUNCIL BLUFFS. $1, 1, 1, 1: BANKING HOUSE OF BALDWIN & DODGE. Unsgd. Light red & black. **Kentucky.** FRANKFORT. $10, 5, 5, 5: FRANKFORT BANK. Unsgd.; red fibre paper. Choice Unc. First somewhat rare, the last scarce. 2 Pcs.

858 **Louisiana.** NEW ORLEANS. $20, 20, 20, 20: CANAL BANK. Unsgd. Pale red backs. **Maryland.** HAGERSTOWN. $10, 10, 5, 5: HAGERSTOWN BANK.

Unsgd.; machine numbered. Attractive red & black notes; red fibre paper. The two 5's have as a central vignette "Ceres and Proserpina Flying," as found upon the 7/25/61 CSA $100., Chase 112. Ex. Fine and Unc. Last very scarce and of considerable interest. 2 Pcs.

859 **Michigan.** ADRIAN. $1, 1, 2, 3: THE ADRIAN INSURANCE COMPANY. Sgd., undated. Light red & black. ANN ARBOR. $5, 5, 5, 10: BANK OF WASHTENAW. Partly sgd. (1835). DETROIT. $5, 5, 5, 5: PENINSULAR BANK. Unsgd. Splendid green & black notes by the American Bank Note Co.; green backs. MARSHALL. $1, 3 Pair: BANK OF MICHIGAN. Unsgd. TECUMSEH. $1, 1, 3, 5: TECUMSEH BANK. Unsgd. **New Hampshire.** FARMINGTON. $2, 1 Pair: FARMINGTON BANK. Unsgd. Red & black; green backs. Ex. Fine and Unc. lot. Desirable. 6 Pcs.

860 **New Jersey.** HOBOKEN. $1, 2, 3 Strip: HOBOKEN BANKING AND GRAZING CO. Partly sgd. (1826). NEW BRUNSWICK. $1, 1, 1, 1: STATE BANK AT NEW BRUNSWICK. Printed Cashier's sig. Green & black notes by the National Bank Note Co.; green backs. Unc. First decidedly rare. 2 Pcs.

861 **Ohio.** CUYAHOGA FALLS. 30 10¢, 6 50¢; 36 5¢: SUMMIT COUNTY BANK, 1862. Full sheets of unnumbered notes; first in green, last in blue. FRANKLIN. $1, 1, 2, 3: FRANKLIN SILK CO. Unsgd. Unc., the two large sheets partially crinkled or torn at the edges, not materially affecting their appearance or value. 3 Pcs.

862 **Pennsylvania.** ALLEGHANY FURNACE. $1, 50¢, 25¢, 10¢, 5¢, 5¢: STORE AT ALLEGHANY FURNACE, 1856. Unsgd. INDIANA IRON WORKS. 50¢, 25¢, 10¢, 5¢, 5¢, $1: STORE AT INDIANA IRON WORKS, 1856. Unsgd. Similar sheets; first printed in brown, second in blue. MARIETTA. $2, 1, 50¢, 25¢, 20¢, 10¢: ON DEMAND, WE PROMISE TO PAY THE BEARER AT OUR STORE, etc. Dated 1837. Unsgd.; pink paper. SMETHPORT. $5, 5, 5, 5: McKEAN COUNTY BANK. Unsgd. Orange & Black. Ex. Fine and Unc. Really scarce lot, only the last comparatively common. 4 Pcs.

863 **South Carolina.** COLUMBIA. $20, 20, 50, 50; $5, 5, 10, 10; $1, 1, 2, 2: State "Revenue Bond Scrip," March 2, 1872. Magnificent green & black bills by the American Bank Note Co.; green backs. Highly interesting vignettes. Crisp Unc. Should bring $10.00. 3 Pcs.

864 **Vermont.** JAMAICA. $1, 2, 3, 5: WEST RIVER BANK. Unsgd. Red & black notes portraying Cupids with Silver Dollars. **Virginia.** WINCHESTER. $1, 1, 1, 2: BANK OF THE VALLEY IN VIRGINIA. Unsgd. 12½¢, 12½¢, 6¼¢, $1, 50¢, 25¢, ON DEMAND, I PROMISE TO PAY—IN NOTES OF THE FARMERS' BANK OF VIRGINIA, etc. Dated 1839. Unsgd. Lastly, $1, 1, 1; large 1852 "Hungarian Fund" notes, and a photostat of a $1, 3, 5, 10; Bank of West Florida sheet, partially sgd. Ex. Fine and Unc. The two Va. items rather rare. 5 Pcs.

MISCELLANEOUS U. S. COINS

Consigned by Harry C. Pedersen, Jr., Syosset, N. Y.

865 **Half Cents.** 1806. Breen 51: 3-C. Gilbert 3. Large 6; Stems. AU-55, barely short of Mint State. Weak at the top of the reverse. Pinkish olive obv., light brown rev. Valued to $13.50.

866 1828. B-70: 3-C. Gilbert 3. Twelve Stars. Not quite MS-60. Highly lustrous light brown and olive surface, separated from perfection by a few minute bag marks. One of the three nicest seen by us, none of them in full Mint State. Very rare and valuable in this condition, regardless of the moderate Guidebook valuation.

867 1833. B-78. The single variety. Strictly Unc. MS-60; natural steel-gray color. Valued to $10.00.

868 1850. B-115. The regularly seen variety. Unc. Usual chestnut-brown surface. An uncommon date.

869 **Large Cents. 1796.** Sheldon 97; Gilbert 4. Just short of VF-20; dark brown glossy color. Faintly roughened upon the obverse, the rims slightly impaired upon both sides. Late die state, showing crack over BERTY and heavy rim break before face. Much sharper than the Downing coin. Uncommon so. The book value of this Draped Bust is about $45.00.

870 1798. S-161; Clapp 21. Very Fine-20 or better. Charcoal gray. A common coin in pleasing condition. Easily worth $10. so!

871 1802. S-232; Newcomb 10. T cut over Y; the reverse rim heavily broken over ATE. About Unc. Delicately mottled in various shades of dark brown. Full

"cartwheel" effect; no blemishes worthy of note. Fully AU-50 or better; worse have sold as "Unc." Latest die state seen, later than any mentioned by WHS; severe obv. die injuries. The inferior "DuPont" coin brought $40.00. **Plate**

14- 872 1803. S-252; N-10. At least VF-30; almost Ex. Fine. L. Brown and steel. Few minor corrosion spots smoothed off with supreme skill; pin-point rev. nick at OF. Valued to $22.50. Better than it sounds.

20 873 1807. S-276; Clapp 6. Common Large Fraction. Just about EF, beautifully mottled. Slightest evidence of handling. Rare, unlisted late die state with three small obverse rim breaks — over IB, E and RT. Book value about $17.50.

18 874 1808. S-279; C-3. Obv. about VF; reverse close to EF. Natural dark green with dark gray mottling. Aesthetically pleasing; a date collector's coin.

25 875 1812. S-289; C-2. Large Date. Extremely Fine. Medium olive and pale brown; the reverse not nearly as sharp as the bold obverse. Exceptionally presentable. Worth $25.00.

8 876 1813. S-293; C-2. Close Star. A tragedy. This coin would be AU-50 to 55, and a Condition Census item, except that an X has been cut upon the face. Should be seen.

877 1814. S-295; C-2. Plain 4; the "bearded variety." Obv. just VF, rev. EF plus; with some cartwheel and nearly full mint sharpness. Beautifully mottled light and medium brown. Late die state. Obtained as "Unc.," like many of the preceding.

9 878 Another Plain 4. Very Fine; equally sharp on both sides, the obverse bolder than last. Reddish brown and steel; ever so lightly roughened surfaces. Earlier die state. Plain double profile from lips to brow, together with die injuries at neck and below nose. A rather unusual example.

12.5 879 1816. Newcomb 2. Uncirculated; not fully struck up. Original red starting to blend with light olive. A Randall Hoard cent; records to $15.00.

5.50 880 1817. N-10. Wide Date. AU-55. Lustrous chocolate-brown. In spite of a tiny rev. nick, a splendid type coin.

11 881 1817. N-14. Close Date. Mint State. Toned down to a dark steel-gray, some dark red on reverse. Randall Hoard variety. Similar ones bring about $10.00.

38 882 **1817.** N-16. **Fifteen Stars.** Choice Uncirculated; MS-60. Delicately and beautifully mottled from "fading embers" red to golden olive; mainly a silvery gray color. In every respect (including the imperfect striking up of curls), a match for the superb Beckwith-Hines-Sheldon-Downing specimen. Should bring $35.00 today!

9.50 883 1818. N-10. "Connected Stars." Unc. Red and olive obv., fairly bright red rev. Unimportant traces of tarnish and spotting. The common Randall Hoard variety.

8- 884 1819. N-8; State b. Small Date. Unc. Faded red; bluish overtones. Several serious reverse nicks. Still, not a bad looking cent.

8- 885 1820. N-13. "Connected Stars." Choice Unc. Blazing red and olive obv., uniformly subdued or faded red reverse. Nicely struck, a characteristic of this Randall Hoard variety.

7½ 886 Another N-13. Bold Unc. The obverse a glossy dark olive; reverse, a splendid orange and dark brown. Not "Red" like the last, but a truly nice type coin.

7- 887 1822. N-11. Wide Date. EF-45. Olive brown obv., mottled golden-brown rev. Minute obv. rim nick, otherwise unblemished. Struck from well rusted dies. Uncommon.

45* 888 **1823.** Mickley-Cogan **Restrike.** Obv. N-2. Rev. Believed to be one of 1813, but reengraved. Copper. This is one of the original 49 examples struck in 1862, before the obverse die cracked across, or was repolished by later owners. Like the other two we have seen, this is Unc. and dark brown; from rusted and somewhat reengraved dies, the obverse with rim broken over 4th to 7th stars as on the last originals. For years, the existence of this early state was controversial, but two examples are shown on the Mougey Catalog (Elder, 1910) Plates, Nos. 139, 140. RR; worth far more than the regular (badly broken obv.) restrike.

13 889 1823 N-2, 1824/22 N-1, 1824 N-2, 1825 N-4. Barely Good, Fine plus and rough, F/VF and VF/EF. Second quite dark, third Close Date, last Large A's, the rev. beautiful. Valued to $32.50; the '24 and '25 desirable. 4 Pcs.

20 890 **1826/5.** N-8. Mint State-60. Olive, tan and steel, lightly mottled upon the back. Unfortunately marred by a rim cut just right of the date, and another, on the corresponding part of the rev. This is, however, the most convincing example of the overdate we have ever seen; the shape of the 5 is almost fully visible within the 6, and it is too good for "die crumbling." Rare.

891 1827. N-1. EF-45. An iridescent steel-blue color; weakly struck at top curls and coronet point, also weak at E of CENT and below upon the reverse. Bold borders; minute flan defect at E of CENT. Ex J. B. Wilson Coll. (Elder, 1908) as "Unc."

892 **1828. N-9.** Large Date. VF-20. Dark, greenish brown. A Rarity 6 variety, Sheldon scale; book value now about $15., but so seldom offered that values are difficult to estimate. Not in Downing, Ryder or DuPont.

893 1828. N-10. The famous Small Date. VF-25, bold; cleaned once, now nicely retoning. A $10. cent today!

894 1829. N-8. Large Letters. Strictly EF-40. A glossy, dark olive-brown. Bold borders; one or two trifling nicks, so often found upon these coins. Records of $12. and $18.00.

895 1830. N-1. Large Letters. Close to EF-40, nicely struck; mainly a light brown color. Unusually choice for this date.

896 1831. N-3. Small Letters. AU-50. Faded mint red mottled with light, golden olive and darker brown. This lot has the sharpness of EF, but the surface is that of a MS-60 coin. Nice.

897 1832. N-3½. Large Letters; close, sharp double profile. Close to AU-50. Gray-brown, lustrous. Bold; small nick on Liberty's chin, few minor reverse defects.

898 1833 N-3, 1834 N-4, 1835 N-1. Large Letters; LD, SS, SL; the '35 LD, LS. First EF, glossy golden brown; second EF, medium brown; third AU-55 and nice, but has been plugged above head. Should easily bring $12.50. 3 Pcs.

899 1835. "N-17." (i.e. N-7, State VII; badly rusted dies.) Head of '36. MS-65. Uncirculated red; some dark tarnish, mainly upon the obverse. Not in our Downing, Ryder, or the other big sales; first we have handled so choice. Commoner ones bring $20. to $27.50 in similar condition.

900 1836. N-3. Also MS-65. Superb; mint red in a magnificent blend with pale golden olive. Unblemished, and separated from grade 70 only by the color. Usual die break. A cent with much aesthetic appeal. Records of $17. and $20. for pieces certainly no better; $25-30. might better reflect today's market.

901 1837 N-5 (PHC, SL) and 1838 N-7. EF-40, light brown; MS-60, similar color. Faintest signs of abrasion upon the obv. of the last. The '37 really scarce, being listed in the Standard Catalog at $10. VF. 2 Pcs.

902 **1839/36.** N-1. Perfect dies. Fine-12. Medium to dark brown; even surface with slight, uniform roughening and two or three unimportant reverse edge bruises. Well centered and bold. A pleasing example, above average for this popular rarity. Usually found in grades 1 through 6. Listed in the Guidebook at $65. Fine.

903 1839. N-2. Head of '38. EF-45. Pale reddish brown to chocolate-brown. Obv. sharp, rev. rather flatly struck at right, as usual for the variety. Several minor indications of impairment, mainly at the rims. A good "type" item.

904 **1839. N-3.** The other Head of '38. AU-55; separated from MS-60 only by slight obv. cabinet friction. A lustrous, pale brown beauty; the reverse highlights representing original color toned down. Few microscopic handling marks. McGirk, forty-two years ago, maintained that this variety was rarer than the perfect date 1799; today, it is rated R-4, a full grade above the '99. Comparable to the Bement-Ryder coin, oddly enough lot 904 in our 41st sale, at $33.00. **Plate**

905 1839. N-9. The second Silly Head. AU-50; glossy, medium brown surface. While bought as Unc., this piece is downgraded for lack of "cartwheel" and several minute nicks. Badly broken obverse die (State VII) as on the Kissner (our 44th sale) coin. Very attractive; also rated as R-4.

906 1839. N-11. Booby Head. AU-50. A beautiful golden olive color; slight rev. rim bruise. As a variety, almost R-2.

907 1839. **N-13.** Another Booby Head. Mint State-60. Beneath the lustre, a natural medium brown, attractively mottled or streaked like the grain of wood. One or two tiny rev. planchet defects, the most prominent at T of CENT. Light obv. rim irregularities characteristic of the type. A rare variety, seldom seen above VF; the DuPont coin brought $50., but then it had some original red. **Plate**

908 1839. N-8. Head of '40. Also Uncirculated. Glossy dark olive heightened with original red overtones. Impaired by a few small obverse rim nicks or bruises, seven or eight rev. pinpoint jabs. Regardless of our description a desirable coin, the defects not particularly noticeable. Should be seen.

909 1840. N-6. Large Date (as in 1839). Mint State-60. A subtly blended pale

chocolate and reddish brown color with darker mottlings. Careful inspection will reveal two or three minute obv. surface nicks. DuPont had none. This lot should excite spirited bids; similar examples of other dies have brought $30.00.

910 1840. N-13. Small Date (as in 1841). AU-50. Cleaned years ago, now a partly toned down orange-brown. Decidedly uncommon, and the best specimen of this variety seen in some time.

911 1841. N-5. Abt. Uncirculated-55. Chocolate and sepia, attractively patterned. A very few faint bag marks, otherwise unblemished. With the usual cracked obverse die. Only a hair's breadth from Unc., and perhaps undergraded by us.

912 1842. N-2. Small Date (as in 1841). MS-60. Quite unusual in appearance, being a lovely pale green hue. Not fully struck up towards the edges, but this is no censure. Truly a splendid coin, worthy of a good price.

913 1842. N-3. Large Date (as in 1843). Ex. Fine-45. Obv. chestnut-brown, rev. honey color. A rather appealing cent, cheap at $8. or so.

914 **1843.** N-4. **Obv. '42; Rev. '44.** Almost, but not quite MS-60. Medium to light olive with distinct traces of mint red, especially on the reverse. A few defects, worthy only of the perfectionist with his strong glass. A choice example of a highly popular "type" coin, seldom excelled. Should bring about $35.00. **Plate**

915 1843. **N-13.** Same type as the last. Mint State-60. The obverse a subdued orange-red; reverse medium to dark olive with hints of red. Without blemishes worth mentioning; much more attractive than the N-4, and rarer. Unpublished die state: many stars imperfect or crumbling; crack or die scratch (?) from leaf point under I in UNITED. This auburn beauty may bring close to $50.00. **Plate**

916 1844. N-1. Almost, but not quite MS-60; closer to AU-55. Light olive and red, mostly the former; few pinpoint sized rim nicks, all but one upon the rev. This is from the RRR unpublished die state with rim breaks below date and to I. The crack at UN mentioned by Newcomb is not visible. Record of $11. in AU for a perfect-die coin!

917 **1846. Unlisted.** Similar to N-3 (S. Date), but curl point over inner curve; horizontal scratches in die from last star to hair; almost vertical die scratches from border to tops of STATES. Unc. Subdued red toning down to light olive and steel. Two others seen.

918 1848 N-11, 1853 N-33, 1854 N-8. AU-50, light olive; MS-60, pale olive and steel; MS-65, blazing red dulling to light brown. First with three minute obv. rim nicks. The '48 uncommon, '53 scarce. 3 Pcs.

919 1849 N-14, 1850 N-15. Both Uncirculated; first a prooflike medium olive with traces of red, second with original red darkening to brown especially on obv. Several trifling keg marks. Scarce varieties, particularly the 1849. The "DuPont" collection lacked the latter and had only a worn example of the former. 2 Pcs.

920 1851. N-10. Red Unc., the obverse toning down. Close to perfection, though a little foggily struck as commonly found in this date. Similar specimens of commoner die have brought $11.00.

921 1855 N-4 and 10; 1856 N-7 and 14. Both types of each date. All four Unc. with at least half original red on each, the least on the '56 N-7, the most (as usual) on the '55 N-4. Attractive coins. 4 Pcs.

922 **1857.** N-1. Large Date. MS-60; original red and olive. Of real rarity in this condition, though overrated in the grades below Unc. We sold a slightly better one for nearly $30. months ago, despite the Guidebook valuation of $16.00.

923 A duplicate N-1. Close to EF-40. Traces of rev. red, plus a minor scratch from top of wreath down through E of CENT. Sharp; superior to our description.

924 1857. N-4. Small Date. Just MS-60; ripe olive and dark brown. Bold and lustrous. A very pretty example, and but for color a worthy companion to the first Large Date. Valued at $20.00.

925 **Remainders.** 1833 Half Cent, F-15. Early Cents: 1794 S-71, 1796 Cap with illegible reverse, 1800 S-212, 1801 S-222, 1803 S-258, 1805 S-267 (common Blunt 1), 1810 S-285, 1811 S-287 (Perfect Date). F-12, Poor, VG-10 and rough, Abt. Fair, F-VF, VG rough, F-VF badly cleaned and Fair. 9 Pcs.

926 Late Date Cents. 1821 N-2, 1830 N-8, 1835 N-1 and N-7, 1843 N-6 (Type '44) and N-11 (2), 1845 N-5, 1846 N-9, 1847 N-10, 1852 N-8. G-6 with severe rim bruise, VF-35 (marked "Unc."), F-15 slight edge bruises, VF-30, F-12 edges bruised, EF hair tooled, VF-30; last four EF to AU-55, but cleaned, etc. A desirable and important lot that should be examined. 11 Pcs.

927 **Small Cents.** 1857. Flying Eagle. Choice Unc. Few microscopic carbon spots as made.

928 1858. Large Letters. Unc. Attractive iridescent toning. For years we have maintained that this is actually the scarcer of the two '58's despite contrary cataloging.

929 1858. Small Letters. Prooflike Unc., partial wire edges. Hardly visible traces of tarnish. Guidebook at $22.50.

930 1859. Indian Head; Laurel Wreath. Unc. Light pink toning, touches of tarnish as last.

931 1860. Unc. On the order of the two preceding; obv. rather dull. Lists at $9. Unc.

932 1861. Iridescent and golden toned Unc. Few hardly visible carbon spots. Could use expert restoration, like several of these. V. Scarce date.

933 1862, 63, 64 Copper-Nickels. Mostly choice Unc. Last somewhat prooflike but showing light indications of handling. Also, 1858 S.L., '59 and 1860. Abt. Fine, VG plus and VF-EF. 6 Pcs.

934 1864, 65. Bronze. Unc. Mostly red, dulled on the high spots; golden red, considerable blue tarnish. 2 Pcs.

935 **1864 "L".** Partly red Unc. Small obv. tarnish spot before nose, few flyspeck caliber carbon spots. Reverse struck horizontally in comparison with obv.

936 1866. Dull, golden brown Unc. Listed to $24.00.

937 1867. Choice red Unc., the reverse a trifle subdued. Worth $20. so!

938 1868. Golden brown Unc. Choice and desirable.

939 1869. Perfect Date. Full red Uncirculated; traces of fingerprint tarnish. A rare date.

940 1870. Iridescent olive and red Unc. Hairline obv. scratch on Indian's neck.

941 **1871.** Lightly tarnished red-brown Unc. Small, unimportant obv. dark spot on curl.

942 **1872.** Uncirculated. Light olive obverse, pale golden reverse. Not too sharply struck, but nice. Now listed to $40., and worth it.

943 1873, 74. First AU, cyanided red; second brilliant golden red Unc., natural maroon mottling. 2 Pcs.

944 1874. Partly red Unc., iridescently toned.

945 1875, 76. Unc. First unevenly tarnished in myriad colors; second a brilliant golden red, but with the inevitable "flyspecks," this time upon the obverse. 2 Pcs.

946 1876. Bright, golden red Unc. Cheap at $12.50 so!

947 Another. Almost a match for the last. The same remark applies.

948 **1877.** Dullish, golden brown Unc. In almost hysterical demand.

949 1878. Unc. A blazing red "Gem." Another $12.50 item!

950 1879, 80. Unc., first strikes. First golden red, traces of fingermark tarnish; second several shades of red and olive, the rev. nice but with a tiny rim nick. List at $12. in the Whitman book. 2 Pcs.

951 1881, 82, 83. First and last Proofs; the '81 iridescent, but not in full brilliancy, the '83 badly tarnished. While the 1882 is choice, red Unc., it has a rim defect as made on either side. Valued to $16., but worth less. 3 Pcs.

952 1884, 86, 87. Unc. First and last a lustrous red-brown, the '86 iridescently brilliant. All three with partial wire edges, which is unusual. 3 Pcs.

953 1885. Unc. Medium olive with bluish overtones, faint rev. red. Scarce date.

954 1888, 89, 90. Toned and tarnished Unc., the '88 iridescent, '90 a rich golden red. Second rather dull. 3 Pcs.

955 1891, 92, 93. Unc. Red and olive; light brown with traces of gold; almost completely bright red. Guidebook $12.00. 3 Pcs.

956 1894, 95, 96. Red-brown Unc., the first two rather dull. Should bring $10.00. 3 Pcs.

957 1898, 98, 99. Toned Unc. The obverses varying shades of red, olive and brown; reverses mostly red. List to $13.50. 3 Pcs.

958 1900 to 1909 inclusive, duplicates of '05 and '06. All Unc, and each showing some degree of tarnish. Various shades of olive or light brown to bright red. Catalog $23.50. Several need to be cleaned up. 12 Pcs.

959 **1908 "S".** Dull, somewhat iridescent Unc. Minute obverse abrasion mark upon the cheek. Getting scarcer all the time.

960 **1909 "S".** Partly brilliant Unc. Slight obverse fingermark tarnish; beginning to tone down at the edges, bottom of the reverse. Less than half as many coined of this, as of the 1877.

961 **Lincolns.** 1909 VDB, 09 Plain, 10, 11, 12, 13, 16, 17, 18. Toned and tarnished Unc. Several brilliant; a few with microscopic spotting. List at $10.00. 9 Pcs.

962 **1909 "S" VDB.** Golden red Unc. Almost fully brilliant; traces of an obverse fingerprint. Now in the $35. class.

963 1909 "S", 11 "D". Brilliant red Unc., but both showing fingerprint tarnish. The obverse of the last particularly spotty. 2 Pcs.

964 1910 "S", 11 "S". Red and lightly toned Unc., each displaying slight amounts of tarnish. Guidebook at $13.00. 2 Pcs.

965 1912 "S", 12 "D". Unc. Iridescent brown and pale red; both sharp, the last with negligible obverse spotting. A rare pair, the '12 "D" one of the major "sleepers" in the entire series. 2 Pcs.

966 1913 "S", 13 "D". Orange and light red Unc. Beginning to tarnish streak; last with tiny spot on face. List at $19.00. 2 Pcs.

967 1914, 15. Unc. Mostly red and toned to a reddish brown; both with iridescent tarnish, the '14 rather stained upon the obv., last subdued. In the book at $11.00. 2 Pcs.

968 **1914 "S".** A moderate, uniformly red Uncirculated; touches of tarnish. Excellent strike. Well above average for this rarity.

969 **1914 "D".** Superb Unc. An even, lightly toned pale red; perfectly struck, relatively free of abrasion marks, carbon spots or other noticeable detractions. Exceptionally choice, and not to be confused with the many "cyanide jobs" on the market offered as "Brill. Unc." Worth a record price so fine.

970 1915 "S", 15 "D". Dark and mostly bright red Unc. Fingermarked; sharp strikes. 2 Pcs.

971 1916 "S", 16 "D". Lustrous Uncirculated; attractively toned, the latter iridescent at the bottom of the obverse. Better than most. Guidebook at $13.00. 2 Pcs.

972 1917 "S", 17 "D". Almost fully red Unc. Some iridescence; indications of fingermark tarnish. 2 Pcs.

973 1918 "S", 18 "D". Reddish brown and bright red Unc., second with traces of obverse tarnish. Valued to $18.00. 2 Pcs.

974 1919, 19 "S", 19 "D". Unc. First and last brilliant, the '19 "S" a deep red-brown. Philadelphia coin with touches of tarnish. 3 Pcs.

975 1920, 20 "S", 20 "D". Unc. First a brilliant golden red; the two mintmarks a rich, subdued red. All three show some degree of fingermark or other tarnish. Guidebook at $17.25. 3 Pcs.

976 1921, 22 "D". Iridescently toned Unc., the '21 a beauty. Obvious fingerprint tarnish upon the rev. of the last. 2 Pcs.

977 **1921 "S".** Fairly bright red Unc. Obverse with a light, curved hairline stain; mintmark clear but weakly cut. Still, better than many we have handled. Rare; worth looking at.

978 1923, 24, 25, 26. Unc. Iridescently toned red; first two with touches of obverse tarnish. Nicely matched coins. 4 Pcs.

979 **1923 "S".** Almost completely brilliant Unc., a bright, golden red color. Usual strike, but date and mintmark sharp. A premium coin so choice; 95% of those seen Unc. are dark. Worth $50. in such splendid preservation.

980 1924 "S". Olive and red Uncirculated; rev. iridescence. Lincoln's head weak, but still a better than average strike. Desirable.

981 1924 "D". Recently red Unc., this coin has tarnished rapidly; obverse with bluish overtones. Whitman at $20.00.

982 1925 "S", 25 "D". Iridescently toned Unc., first somewhat weakly struck. Each with some evidence of obv. fingermark tarnish. The '25 "S" scarce. 2 Pcs.

983 1926 "S", 26 "D". Golden brown and red Unc., the second mostly brilliant. First rare, and next to impossible to locate "naturally" red. 2 Pcs.

984 1927, 27 "S", 27 "D". Unc. Brilliant, deeply toned and partly bright. All displaying some tarnish; the '27 "D" rather nice. Listed at $18.00. 3 Pcs.

985 1928, 28 "S", 28 "D". Toned and tarnished Unc., the '28 "S" with an odd obv. iridescence and a minute spot like defect or so. 3 Pcs.

986 1929, 29 "S", 29 "D", 30, 30 "S", 30 "D", 31, 31 "S", 31 "D". Toned Unc., several nicely colored. Few with flyspeck like tarnish, notably the '29 "S", 30, 30 "S", 31 and 31 "D". Catalog at almost $20.00. 9 Pcs.

987 Remainder of the set; 1932 to 1941 "D" inclusive, 1943 to 1954 "D", lacking '46 "S", "D", '50 "D". The 1941 "S" with small "S". Mostly red to brilliant Unc., several of the earlier pieces fingermarked. Mtd. in three small Raymond pages, Nos. 350-E, 450 (2); pages inscribed. 63 Pcs.

988 Duplicates. 1909 VDB (6), 1934 (2), '35 (15), '36 (2), 43. Part red to bright Unc., some tarnished. Mostly the best. Mtd. in small Raymond page, No. 450. Page used. 27 Pcs.

989 **Two Cent Pieces.** 1864 L. Motto, 1865. Brilliant "gem" Unc. pair; second with

one or two microscopic obv. spots. Also, 1865, 66. Ex. Fine, V. Good. Valued to $9.00. 4 Pcs.

990 1867. Brilliant red Proof; just a trace or so of tarnish and the damnable "fly-specks." Still, far above average.

991 1868. Blazing red Uncirculated; slight blue iridescence at the upper r. side of the obv. Worth full Guidebook value of $8.50 so.

992 1869. Bright red Proof, a few infinitesimal spots unworthy of mention. Splendid!

993 1870. Red Proof; almost fully brilliant. Slight tarnish and spotting. Listed to $17.50.

994 **Three Cents Nickel.** 1865, 66, 67. Gray to brilliant Unc. Hardly perfect. Also, 1881. Fine. Catalog at over $10., but worth less. 4 Pcs.

995 1868, 69, 70 and 1872. First two choice Uncirculated; third AU, last cleaned Unc. Should bring $10. or more. 4 Pcs.

996 1873, 74. Choice and cleaned Unc. Plus, 1876. Proof; slight fingermark tarnish. List to $29.50 perfect. 3 Pcs.

997 1879, 80. Proofs; fairly bright obverses, spotty reverses. Guidebook $15.00. 2 Pcs.

998 1881, 82. Proofs; second not in full brilliancy, both lightly "speckled." Valued to $12.50. 2 Pcs.

999 1883, 84. Brilliant Proofs. The '83 with hundreds of tiny carbon spots, last almost a "Gem." Rather low coinages. 2 Pcs.

1000 1885, 86. Proofs. Brilliant and mostly nice; both minutely spotty. Can easily be cleaned. Whitman at $14.00. 2 Pcs.

1001 **1887/6.** A brilliant Proof, on the order of the preceding. Overdate not too clear, as commonly found (late state of die). Rare.

1002 1888, 89. Mostly brilliant Proofs; few flyspecks. List $13.00. 2 Pcs.

1003 **Five Cents Nickel.** 1866. Abt. Unc. Usual uneven strike. Also, 1867. No Rays. Choice Unc., the obv. mostly brilliant, rev. dulled. First really scarce. Worth to $17.50. 2 Pcs.

17 1004 **1867. With Rays.** Practically Unc. Dull gray tone; rev. fingerprint. Excellent strike, even and strong. Guidebook at $40. perfect.

9 1005 1868. "Large Stars." Partly brilliant Unc., faintest traces of tarnish spotting. Plus, 1869. "Small Stars." Fairly bright Unc., similar to the '68. Comparative pair. 2 Pcs.

The 1868 comes with large stars (very close to legend; stars point to left end of A in STATES, between AM, etc.) as in 1867. There is also a type with smaller stars (farther from legend, pointing to center of A in STATES, right of upright of M, etc.) found only on the '68. The 1869 small stars type was used in 1870 and later years (stars far from legend; pointing to left foot of A in STATES, right of upright of M, etc.). 1869 is also found with large stars as in 1867-68. These three types represent different hubs, not mere die varieties

9 1006 1872. Uncirculated; not fully brilliant, few minute handling marks. A "better" date.

5 1007 1873. Toned Unc. A very few microscopic tarnish spots. Plus, 1870. F/VF; weak strike. 2 Pcs.

5.5 1008 1874. Shattered dies; lightly double struck at date and TRUST. Unc., dulled and faintly spotted. Ammonia would do this piece a lot of good. Scarce.

1009 **1875.** Brilliant Proof, apparently cleaned. Now listed at $50., as is the 1878. Ex Wayte Raymond.

1010 1876. Partly bright Proof; high wire edge, plagued with some tiny carbon spots. Supposedly a $20. coin.

7 1011 1879. Brilliant but spotty Proof. Low total coinage; one of the major sleepers of this series. C17.5

21 1012 1880. A lightly toned, choice Proof. Now valued at $22.50. The rarity of this date Unc. is (as usual) affecting the price of Proofs, though they logically should be independent.

13 1013 1881. Brilliant Proof; cursed with minute carbon spots. Last low coinage in this series. Ex Raymond, like the last two. C15

1014 1882 Clearly double cut date (first seen), 1883 Shield, 1883 No CENTS. Ex. Fine and mostly brilliant Unc. (2). First undoubtedly rare. 3 Pcs.

1015 1883. Liberty head with CENTS. Brilliant Unc., traces of tarnish. Usual strike. Popular.

1016 1884. Somewhat dull Unc. Slight fingermark tarnish. Lists $12.00.

1017 **1885.** Obtained as Uncirculated; on the order of the last. Needs restoration, like almost all of these. Much rarer in Unc. than Proof.

1018 **1886.** Brill. Unc. ~~Beginnings~~ of golden reverse tarnish. Choice; worth $17.50.

1019 1887, 91. Unc. First mostly brilliant, but not bold; last lustrous, rather finger-marked. Full Guidebook is $14.00. 2 Pcs.

1020 1888. Lightly toned Proof; microscopic carbon spots. Now lists $12. Ex Raymond.

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1021 1889, 93. Proof and Unc. Toned; brilliant with brown and iridescent tarnish. 2 Pcs.

1022 1890, 92. Brilliant, although faintly specked Proof; bright, almost "gem" Unc. Better than most. 2 Pcs.

1023 1894, 95. Off Unc., obv. a bit spotty, rev. touched up with an eraser; lightly tarnished Proof. Last nice, but with one or two pin-point rev. tarnish spots. 2 Pcs.

1024 **1896.** Toned Unc. Weak struck at date. Beginning to come into its own.

1025 1897. Proof, not fully brilliant; microscopically spotted, some rev. tarnish. Scarce.

1026 1898. Fairly brilliant Proof. Also scarce. Like the last, ex Raymond.

1027 1899. Attractively toned Proof; traces of tarnish, a spot or so. Climbing in price.

1028 1900, 01. Mostly brilliant and fully lustrous Unc., the last showing considerable tarnish. 2 Pcs.

1029 1902, 03, 05. An Unc. trio, hardly choice. First and last with lustre; '02, '03 with fingermark tarnish upon the obverse. 3 Pcs.

1030 1904, 06, 07. Partly tarnished Unc. Valued to $16.00. 3 Pcs.

1031 1908, 10. Partly brilliant and iridescent Unc. Also, 1909. Somewhat fingermarked Proof. 3 Pcs.

1032 1911. Frosty Unc., tarnished upon the high spots. 1912 "S" and "D". V. Good average. Finally, duplicates; 1867 No Rays, 1883 No CENTS, '84 and 1889. Fine to EF. 7 Pcs.

1033 1912. Last year of type. Lightly toned Proof; indications of rev. spotting. V. Scarce; Guidebook at $15.00.

1034 **Buffalo Nickels.** 1913, 13 "S", 13 "D". Type I. Bold, mostly choice Unc. The "S", and to a greater extent the "D", show tarnish; latter with small rev. nick and scratch. Should bring about $15.00. 3 Pcs.

1035 1913, 13 "D". Type II. Iridescent and a bright, uniform Unc. Both sharp; second with a slight abrasion mark upon Bison's shoulder. Valued to $22.50. 2 Pcs.

1036 1914, 15, 16. Comparatively choice Unc. Traces of tarnish. Listed in the Whitman reference at $13.50. 3 Pcs.

1037 **1914 "S".** Toned Unc. The usual weak strike, but (oddly) the mintmark fully clear. Scarce.

1038 **1914 "D".** Brilliant Unc., although with some iridescent tarnish and very slight spotting. Usual strike; mintmark strong as on the last. Scarcer than the '14 "S".

1039 **1915 "S".** Brill Unc. Of "gem" quality except for a few infinitesimal carbon spots; desirable prooflike surface. As well struck as if it were dated 1937. Worth a high premium so!

1040 **1915 "D".** Mainly bright Unc., traces of tarnish. Weak at the usual spots; mintmark bold. Not a "gem", but well above average. Guidebook $20.00.

1041 1917, 18, 19. Uncirculated. On the order of lot 1036; the rare '18 weak upon the rev. and a trifle dulled. Valued to $20. also. 3 Pcs.

1042 1920, 21, 23. First and last mostly brilliant Unc., the scarcer '21 lustrous, but displaying some tarnish. Catalog to $19.50. 3 Pcs.

1043 1924, 25, 26. Toned and tarnished Unc., the second dullish. These "P" Mint Nickels will never be cheaper. 3 Pcs.

1044 **1925 "D".** Unc. Almost in full brilliancy. Light toning; soft rev. striking, faint rev. drift marks. Scarce.

1045 1926 "D", 27, 27 "S". First Unc., but the reverse extremely weak; faint scratch upon Bison. Other two lightly tarnished Unc. and VF. 3 Pcs.

1046 1927 "D", 28, 28 "D". Lightly toned or tarnished Unc. Lustrous trio; the '28 "D" rather weak upon the rev. as almost always. List $15.50. 3 Pcs.

1047 1928 "S". Large "S". Brilliant Unc. A little better than average strike. Should bring $15. with ease.

1048 1929, 29 "S", 29 "D" and 1930. Choice Unc., except for the first which has two rev. stains. 4 Pcs.

1049 1930 "S" and 1931 "S". Fully lustrous Unc., faintly toned. Traces of tarnish; first weak as often seen. Scarce items. 2 Pcs.

1050 Remainder of the series. 1934 to '38 "D" complete, except for the 1937 "D" Three-legged coin. Various qualities of Unc., a few noticeably spotted. Plus, '16 "D", '19 "D", '20 "S", '23 "S". VG; dates almost gone. 16 Pcs.

1051 **Jeffersons.** Partial set, 1938 to 1954 "D". Complete, except for 1939, 41 "D", 42 T-I, 42 "D", 42 "S", 46 "S", 46 "D", 50 and 50 "D". Almost all brilliant Uncirculated; the '42 T-II and '46 inferior, several of the earlier dates a trifle spotted. Mtd. in four small Raymond pages, Nos. 358-D, 458 (3). 46 Pcs.

1052 Duplicates. 1913 T-II, 34, 35 (4), 36 (4) and 1937; 1938 (8), 38 "S",

38 "D" (Jefferson), 40, 40 "S", 40 "D", 41, 41 "S", 43 "S" and 1945 (2). Mostly Unc., a few EF or near Unc. Lastly, 1938. Proofs (4). Partly mtd. in a small Raymond page, No. 458. 34 Pcs.

1053 **Minor Type Set.** 1857, 59, 61, 76, 1920 Cents, first three VF, last two red Unc.; 1864 LM 2c VG; 1865 3c F; 1862 Trime EF; 1866, 69 (Small Stars as in 1870), 83 NC, 1912, 13 T-I, 13 T-II, 1938 Nickels, EF to Unc., the first "Buffalo" VG. Mtd. in a small Raymond page (used as in the last two lots), No. 388. Valued to about $50.00. 16 Pcs.

1054 **Trimes.** 1858, 61 and 1862. Nice, iridescent Unc. Also, 1852, 53, 59. First two VG ('52 damaged), last F-VF. The Unc. coins catalog at $18. alone. 6 Pcs.

1055 **Half Dimes.** 1830 Valentine 8, 32 V-8C, 33 V-3 and 1837 No Stars, L. Date. Unc. prooflike, Unc. weakly struck and Fine (2). Last scarce, but with pin-point rev. rim dent. 4 Pcs.

1056 **1837. No Stars,** Large Date. Brilliant and choice Unc., peripherally toned. A splendid specimen, worth full Guidebook of $20. so.

1057 1840 No Drapery and 1843. Unc., similar toning. Last with a few hardly visible obv. handling marks. Worth $10.00. 2 Pcs.

1058 1841, 45, 58 (2), 59 and 1860. Ex. Fine and near Unc., mostly the best. A very desirable lot. 6 Pcs.

1059 1844. Partially recut date. Also, 1849. Choice Unc. With lilac toning and peripheral iridescence. Attractive. 2 Pcs.

1060 1862. "Gem" Unc., on the order of many of the preceding. Plus, 1872. Iridescently tarnished Proof. Guidebook at $11.50. 2 Pcs.

1061 1873. Last year. Lilac and tarnished Proof. Records to $10.50.

1062 Various. 1843, 47, 53 Arrows, 54, 57, 58 "O", 61, 70, 71 (2) and 1873. The '47 bent, '61 V. Fair; others VG to V. Fine. Finally, an impaired 1858 Trime. 12 Pcs.

1063 **Dimes.** 1821 Large Date; 1834 Large 4; 1837 No Stars, L. Date. Not quite Fine average; last valued at $14. Fine. 3 Pcs.

1064 1861, 62. Iridescent and a dullish Unc., first nice. In addition, 1820 L. C., 53 Arrows, 57, 92, 1912 "D" and 1937 (2). The '92 Barber and two '37's Unc., others Fair (1) to VF (1). A group worth to $15.00. 9 Pcs.

1065 **1874. Arrows** at date. Deeply toned Unc., the obv. iridescent. Choice; very popular.

1066 Barber type. 1892, 92 "O", 94 "O", 98, 99, 1900, 01, 02, 02 "O", 03, 05, 05 "S", 06 "S", 06 "D", 07, 07 "O", 07 "S", 08, 08 "O", 08 "D", 09 "D", 10, 10 "S", 10 "D", 11, 11 "S", 11 "D", 12, 12 "D", 13, 14, 14 "S", 14 "D", 15, 16 and 1916 "S". The '10, '12 and '16 Unc. or very close to it; others Abt. Good (3) to Fine, averaging VG. The '94 "O" VG and rare. Mtd. in five small Raymond pages (almost new), Nos. 373-A to E. 41 Pcs.

1067 Mercury type. Incomplete set, lacking 1916 "D", 21, 26 "S", 27 "S", 28 "D", 29 "S" and "D", 30 "S", 31 "D", 35 "S", 36 "S", 38 "S" and "D", 42/1 and 1942 "S". The 16, and most of those from 34 to 1945 "D" are Unc., while the others average VG; a few Fine or VF. Roosevelt type. Incomplete set, 1946 to '54 "D". Lacks 46 "S" and "D", 48, 50 and 51 all mints. Choice Unc., almost entirely brilliant. Mtd. in seven small Raymond pages (used, first four mostly clean), Nos. 374-A to D; 456 (3). 88 Pcs.

1068 **Twenty Cent Pieces.** 1875. Iridescently toned "Semi-proof." Obtained as a Proof; highly deceptive. Guidebook at $22.50 Unc.

1069 1876. Ex. Fine, similar to the last. Slightly impaired; "hidden" rev. rim bruise. Nearly three times as rare as 1875 in all grades.

1070 **Quarters.** 1806. Browning 3. Very Good; rev. strike uneven, partly weak. From an unlisted die state with obv. rim break left of date and from above 4th star to LIB; rev. cracked at first S in STATES, etc. Only one other seen so.

1071 1819. B-2. Large 9. Fine to VF; rev. particularly bold. Also, 1836 B-2 (very late die state, very scarce); 1858 and 1876. VF, EF plus, Abt. VF. 4 Pcs.

1072 1888. Choice blue and gold toned Proof. Only 832 Proofs struck, compared to 886 of the "made" '86. Worth $15.00.

1073 1889. Mostly brilliant Proof. As rare as the 1887 in Proof; a "sleeper."

1074 1893. Lightly toned and brilliant Proof. Cheap at $10. today!

1075 1908 "D", 15 "D", 17 T-I (2), 35 and 1937. One '17 AU, last two Unc. Remaining three Fine to VF. Valued to $12.50. 6 Pcs.

1076 Liberty Standing type. 1917 T-I and 1924 "D". Choice Unc., latter very brilliant. First bold (as usual); the '24 "D" with almost full head and shield, the knee sharp. List at $12.00. 2 Pcs.

1077 1926 "D", 27 "D" and 1930. Mostly brilliant Unc. First with weak head and

shield, last with slight scrape on head. While in the Guidebook at $14., these coins will bring less. 3 Pcs.

1078 1928 "S" (Small mintmark), 1928 "D". Choice Unc., almost fully bright. The usual strikes. An $8. to $10. pair. 2 Pcs.

1079 1917 "D" T-I, 17 T-II, 17 "S" T-II, 18, 19 "D", 20, 20 "S", 20 "D", 23, 24, 25, 26, 26 "S", 27, 28, 29, 29 "S" and "D", 1930 "S". First and '20 AU; '17 "S", 25, both '29's VF or so, others Fine average. The '20 "S" with two obv. digs. Mtd. in three small Raymond pages (slightly used), Nos. 370-A to C. 22 Pcs.

1080 Washington type. **1936 "D".** Lightly toned Unc. Choice, prooflike obv. surface. In heavy demand.

1081 Balance of a partial set, 1932 to 1952 "D". Missing, in addition to the '36 "D", a 42 "S", the three '46's, three '50's and 1952 "S". The 1934 is the usual heavy motto coin; the '41 "S" with small "S". The '32's EF and VF (2); others Unc., mostly brilliant, except for the EF '42 "D". Few with light toning, others with light mint abrasions, as usual. Mtd. in five small Raymond pages (used), Nos. 370-D, 380-A, 416 (3). 53 Pcs.

1082 Duplicates. 1935 (2), 37, 39, 40 "S", 40 "D", 41, 41 "S" (Small) and 1941 "D". Mainly brilliant Unc., the '41 "S" with two long and light obv. scratches, a rev. tarnish spot. In the Guidebook at $22.25. 9 Pcs.

1083 **Half Dollars.** 1795. Beistle 5-I. Two leaves; STATES has A cut over an E. Very Good; evenly and cleanly worn.

1084 1805. B. 5c-Ha. Perfect date; 5 berries. Fine to VF, obverse bold. Struck from badly injured dies, the rev. cracked up—a state unknown to Beistle.

1085 1826 Plain 2, 1844. Brill. Unc., light toning; EF plus. First very lightly scratched in the l. obverse field. Finally, 1936. Extremely Fine. Worth $10.00. 3 Pcs.

1086 **1836. Reeded edge.** Fine to V. Fine. With an obvious rev. rim bruise, and a few minor rev. handling defects. Rare.

1087 1873. Arrows at date. Fine to VF. Very scarce and popular. Lists $10. Fine.

1088 1886. Rubbed and somewhat impaired Proof. Originally bought as perfect. The Speculators' delight.

1089 **1887.** Choice Proof. Mostly with pale blue toning; some iridescence at centers. Rarer than the last in both Proof and Regular coinages. 33 c27.5

1090 1889. Golden toned Proof. Knob of 9 joined to loop, hence "discovered" and long sold as an overdate. 27 c19

1091 Another. Brill. Unc., acquiring deep blue tone around borders. Almost a "gem," in spite of a few obv. abrasion marks. Preservation of Unc. examples of this low mintage left to chance, whereas Proofs were carefully saved. 17½

1092 1890. A magnificently toned "first-strike." Rarer than the '89; valued to $15. so nice. 15

1093 1891. Last year. Lilac Proof. Only 600 proofs struck. Records to $20.00. 21

1094 **Barber type.** 1893. Proof. Obverse with a light milky tarnish; rev. brilliant.

1095 1895. Iridescent blue and gold Proof.

1096 1896. Splendid semi-proof; faintest evidence of obv. handling. This coin reminds us of the "Obv. Proof, Rev. Unc." anomalies in the cents of 1830-48, mentioned by Newcomb. An educational must for those who constantly find mintmark Proofs in the Barber series.

1097 1898. "Gem" Proof. Golden tone deepening to blue around borders.

1098 1900. Also a "gem" Proof. Golden iridescence shading to purplish red near borders. 2¾ 15+

1099 **Walking Liberty type.** 1916 "D". Unevenly toned Unc., the strike above average.

1100 1920. Dull Unc. Dark reddish brown tarnish. Also, 1929 "S". Ex. Fine. In the Guidebook at a healthy $55. Unc., this pair should realize about half that amount. 2 Pcs.

1101 1937 "S". Brilliant Unc. Valued to $10.00.

1102 1937 "D". Even nicer and scarcer than the last.

1103 1938 "D". Brill. Uncirculated. The low coinage (491,600) item!

1104 Remainder of the set. 1916, 16 "S", 17 "D" Obv., 18 "D", 20 "S", 20 "D", 33 "S", 34, 34 "S", 35, 36, 36 "D", 37, 38, 1939 to '47 "D" inclusive, lacking the '41 "S", three '42's, three '46's. Early pieces VG or so; '33 "S" through '35 VF (1) to Unc., remainder brilliant Uncirculated. Mtd. in six small Raymond pages (slightly used), Nos. 365-A to D; 449 (2). Retail value to $70.00. 38 Pcs.

1105 **Franklin type.** 1948, 48 "D", 49, 49 "S", 49 "D", 51 to 1954 "D" complete. Brill. Unc., usual run-of-the-bag coins; the '52 "S" with golden brown tarnish. Mtd. in two small Raymond pages (second a makeshift), Nos. 449,

349-E. List over $30. Finally, 1835, 59 "O", 1907 "D", 1940 halves; Fine, VF, VG and Unc. 23 Pcs.

1106 **Silver Dollars.** 1795. Bolender 2. Wide date; two leaves below wings. Abt. Fine. One or two unimportant obv. rim bruises.

1107 **1797.** B-1. Sixteen stars, 9 x 7; large letters. Fine, bold. Slight rev. edge impairment; few of the inevitable handling nicks. Rare, as are all three varieties of this date; only 4,941 coined, to the best of our knowledge.

1108 1800. B-12. R in LIBERTY recut; dots at E's in UNITED and AMERICA. Fine to V. Fine. An underrated variety, rated common by Bolender. Might be R-4. Clean and desirable.

1109 **1803. B-3.** Small 3. Fine for the variety. An attractive example of this R-7 item, which is almost always found worn. Not illustrated in the Bolender reference (which in itself should be a testimony to its rarity). Worth a good price.

1110 1847. Prooflike first-strike; relatively clean. One of those coins constantly sold as "proof," or "former proof." Records to $28. for just what it is.

1111 1871. Strictly Ex. Fine, cleaned; the surfaces apparently once touched with a buffing wheel. To such straits does hysterical demand for "Proofs" lead misguided improvers.

1112 Partial set of Peace dollars. Lacks 1924, 24 "S", 26, 26 "S", 27 "S" and the "rare" 1934 "S". However, with a duplicate '34 and a 1921 and a 1921 "D" Morgan. All except the Ex. Fine '22 and 1934 "D" brilliant Unc. Mtd. in three small Raymond pages (slightly used), Nos. 363-A to C. Worth around $50.00. 23 Pcs.

1113 Trade dollar. 1877. Cleaned Unc., a milky white color. Listed to $13.50; this one worth less.

1114 **Commemoratives.** 1893. Isabella Quarter. Brill. "gem" Unc. Considerable iridescent tarnish.

1115 1900. Lafayette Dollar. Unc., faintest indications of handling. Once cleaned; beginning to retarnish. In great demand, like the last.

1116 **Half Dollars.** 1892, 93 Columbians. 1918 Lincoln. Brill. Unc., similar with slight obv. rubbing, spottily toned Unc. 3 Pcs.

1117 1920 and 1921 Pilgrims. Mostly brilliant and partly tarnished Unc. Second uncommon. 2 Pcs.

1118 1921. Alabama Centennial. Choice Unc., in spite of a minute nick upon Gov. Kilby's chin. Free from the usual rubbing and/or flatness at the high spots.

1119 1921. Alabama; 2x2 in field. Very Fine, tarnished. Minor obv. impairment. Plus, 1922. Grant. Partly toned Unc., flat on head as issued. 2 Pcs.

1120 1923 "S" Monroe; 1924 Huguenot; 1925 Lexington. Abt. Unc. (light obv. field scratches), toned Unc., almost Perfect. 3 Pcs.

1121 1925 Stone Mountain; 1925 "S" California; 1926 Sesqui. First not quite Unc., last two really nice. 3 Pcs.

1122 1926, 26 "S" and 1933 "D" Oregons. Mainly brilliant Unc. First underrated; last decidedly scarce. 3 Pcs.

1123 1927. Vermont Sesquicentennial. Choice Unc., slight obv. tarnish.

1124 1928. Hawaiian Sesquicentennial. Tarnished Unc., fairly good strike. One of perhaps five silver Commemoratives ever to be quoted over $100., despite the fact that at least thirty have lower mintages.

1125 1934 "D", 36 and 1936 "S" Oregons. Lightly toned Unc. Uncommon trio. 3 Pcs.

1126 1934 Maryland; 1934 Texas; 1935 Small '34 Boone. Mostly brilliant Unc. 3 Pcs.

1127 1935. Connecticut Tercentenary. Choice Unc., toned so that the oak leaves show a touch of autumn. One of the few really good designs in the series.

1128 1935. Hudson, N. Y. Sesquicentennial. Brilliant Unc. Rare, and very popular.

1129 1935 "S", 36 "D" San Diego Exposition issues. Brill. Unc. 2 Pcs.

1130 1935. Old Spanish Trail. A startling design in contrast with the Texas! Unc. Mostly brilliant. Technically as rare as the Hudson, but not nearly as well distributed.

1131 1935, 35 "S", 35 "D" Texas set. Unc., traces of toning. 3 Pcs.

1132 1936, 36 "S", 36 "D" Rhode Islands. Mostly brilliant Unc. 3 Pcs.

1133 1936, 36 "S", 36 "D" Texas set. 8,911, 9,064 and 9,039 issued. This is the only one really deserving the "Centennial" label. Choice Unc., traces of toning. 3 Pcs.

1134 1936, 36 "S", 36 "D" Boone set. 12,012, 5,006 and 5,005 issued. Lightly toned Unc. 3 Pcs.

1135 1936, 36 "S", 36 "D" Arkansas set. 9,660, 9,662 and 9,660 issued. Like the last. 3 Pcs.

1136 1936 Cleveland; 1936 Wisconsin. Brilliant and slightly toned Unc. 2 Pcs.

1137 1936, 36 "S", 36 "D" Cincinnati set. Bust of Stephen Foster, who actually had no connection with the fiftieth anniversary of Cincinnati as a center of music. Somewhat tarnished Unc. Rare; in great demand. 3 Pcs.

1138 1936 Long Island; 1936 York. Brilliant Unc. 2 Pcs.

1139 1936 Bridgeport; 1936 Lynchburg. The Bridgeport portrays the patron saint of speculators. Bright and slightly toned Unc. 2 Pcs.

1140 1936 Elgin; 1936 "S" Oakland Bay Bridge. Brilliant Unc. Well handled and distributed issues. 2 Pcs.

1141 1936. Albany, N. Y. Charter. Over 25,000 originally struck; only 16,887 sold, the balance remelted. Brilliant Unc.

1142 1936, 36 "S", 36 "D" Columbia set. 9,007, 8,007 and 8,009 issued. Mostly brilliant Unc., obv. of the second tarnished. 3 Pcs.

1143 1936 Robinson; 1937 "D" Oregon. Bright, attractive Unc. 2 Pcs.

1144 1937 Roanoke; 1937 Boone. Unc. Mostly brilliant. 2 Pcs.

1145 1937, 37 "S", 37 "D" Texas set. 6,571, 6,637 and 6,605 issued. Brill. Unc. 3 Pcs.

1146 1937, 37 "S", 37 "D" Arkansas set. Only 5,505, 5,506 and 5,505 issued. Choice Unc., traces of tarnish. Like all issues of limited coinage relatively unappreciated, destined to rise in value. 3 Pcs.

1147 1936. Delaware Tercentenary. Authorized in 1936, struck in 1937, dated 1938 on the rev., 1936 on the obv. Lightly toned Unc.

1148 1938. New Rochelle, N. Y. The only Commemorative since the Columbian to display a beaded border. Brill. Unc.

1149 1936. Battle of Gettysburg. We are often in doubt whether to list this one under 1936 or '38 since it bears both dates on reverse.

1150 1936. Norfolk, Va. Bicentennial. Brilliant Unc. Scarce, as are several of the late types.

1151 1937. Battle of Antietam. Bright Unc. A splendid example of a well handled issue.

1152 1938, 38 "S", 38 "D" Oregon set. 6,006, 6,006 and 6,005 issued; only 6,000 sets regularly distributed, the other 5 or 6 odd being Assay pieces (the case with many of these uneven coinages). Mostly brilliant Unc. 3 Pcs.

1153 1938, 38 "S", 38 "D" Texas set. Only 3,780, 3,816 and 3,775 issued. Brill. Unc. Rare. 3 Pcs.

1154 1938, 38 "S", 38 "D" Arkansas set. But 3,156 of each minted. Partly bright; partly tarnished Unc. Rare. 3 Pcs.

1155 1946, 46 "S", 46 "D" Booker set. Plus, the 1938 Swedish "Delaware" 2 Kroner (3). Brill. Unc., some border toning. The Bookers in the original black card holder of issue. 6 Pcs.

1156 **Silver Dollar Remainders.** 1847 VF plus; 1864 Abt. Very Fine. Only 30,700 regularly coined of the latter, hence decidedly uncommon. Plus, 1878 8 Feathers, 83 "S", 84, 84 "S", 85 "S", 1921 and 21 "S" Morgans; 1921 Peace; 1877 "S" Trade. The three '21's bright Unc., the Trade VG with rim impairment (on both sides); rest the usual circulated run. 11 Pcs.

1157 **Duplicate Commemoratives.** 1893 Columbian (3); 1918 Lincoln (2); 1924 Huguenot. First three Fine, Very Fine (2); last only Good or so. Lincolns V. Fine and Abt. Unc., VF one with small obv. defect at S of ILLINOIS. 6 Pcs.

1158 1918 Lincoln; 1936 Robinson. Slightly tarnished and lightly toned Unc. 2 Pcs.

1159 1936 Long Island. Uncirculated. Mostly brilliant, although with considerable tarnish. Popular type items. 5 Pcs.

1160 **Late Proof Sets.** First year, **1936.** Cent, Nickel, Dime, Quarter, Half Dollar. While the Nickel and faintly spotted Cent prove this to be of the earlier issue, the Silver coins, though lightly tarnished, approach the brilliancy of the rarer second issue. It would not surprise us to see this set sell for $200.00. 5 Pcs.

1161 **1937.** Similar. Somewhat tarnished, the Nickel and Cent microscopically spotted. Rare. 5 Pcs.

1162 1938. Similar. Tarnished; the Nickel uniformly spotted, the Cent less so. Almost rare. 5 Pcs.

1163 1939. Similar. On the order of the two preceding. If anything, the Nickel a trifle worse than the last, the Cent a little better. V. Scarce. 5 Pcs.

1164 1940. Similar. Spotting on the two minor coins, the Cent slightly stained. Scarce. 5 Pcs.

1165 Another '40 set. In the original cellophane envelopes of issue. Unopened and untouched; comparatively clean and brilliant. 5 Pcs.

1166 1941. Similar. Half Dollar with "W" almost gone. Mostly brilliant; both minor coins slightly spotted, the Cent richly toned. Scarce. 5 Pcs.

1167 Another '41 set. Half Dollar as last. In the cellophane envelopes as issued. Almost completely brilliant. 5 Pcs.

1168 1942. Similar; T-I and T-II Nickels. Brilliant, the Cent toned. Scarce. Underrated, as are any of these in comparison with the highly touted 1950. 6 Pcs.

1169 **1950.** Similar. Brilliant Proofs. 5 Pcs.

1170 Another '50 set. Fully bright and choice. P. T. Barnum should have lived to see it. 5 Pcs.

1171 1951. Similar. Brilliant Proofs. If speculate one must, this year is as good as any. 5 Pcs.

1172 1952, 1953. Similar. Brilliant; first lightly toned, last in original wrappers. 10 Pcs.

1173 **Gold Dollars.** 1851. Ex. Fine or better.

1174 1874. Brilliant Unc. Just about of "gem" grade.

We will pay $8.50 each for small size Gold Dollars and $8.00 each for the larger size, all coins shipped to us to be Very Fine or better. In very large quantities, please contact us before sending coins.

1175 **Quarter Eagles.** 1878. Ex. Fine and brilliant.

Until further notice, we can also use Liberty Head Quarter Eagles in V. Fine minimum condition at $10.50 each. As with the dollars, all pieces must be clean and desirable.

1176 1911 and 1915. Indian heads. Very Fine average. 2 Pcs.

1177 1911 and 1927. Very Fine to EF. 2 Pcs.

1178 1925 "D" and 1929. Ex. Fine or so. 2 Pcs.

1179 **Three Dollars Gold.** 1878. Uncirculated. Beautiful, frosty mint surface.

1180 **Half Eagles.** 1881. Very Fine.

1181 1893. Better than Extremely Fine.

1182 1907. Just about Unc. Fully lustrous and nice.

1183 1915. Indian head. Strictly Ex. Fine. Desirable.

1184 **Eagles.** 1907. Liberty head. Barely short of full Unc. Brilliant.

1185 1910. Indian head. Brilliant Unc. Relatively few of the inevitable bag marks.

1186 **Double Eagles.** 1899. Abt. Ex. Fine, but cleaned to death.

1187 **1907. St. Gaudens type.** Date MCMVII. Struck in high relief; high wire-like edge. A hair's breadth from Mint State; slightest signs of friction upon the high spots. Several unimportant indications of handling. Still, a fully acceptable example of a much desired coin. Worth looking at!

1188 End of the Consignment. **New Brunswick.** 1862. Twenty Cents. V. Fine, bold; gray tarnish. **Canada.** 1896. Cent. Dullish red Unc. First very scarce. 2 Pcs.

1189 Various small-size Raymond album pages in which the Pedersen collection was housed. Used, although a great many in clean, satisfactory condition. 62 Pcs.

1190 Twelve small-size National album binders. Used. 12 Pcs.

1191 Eleven additional small-size binders. Used. 11 Pcs.

UNITED STATES HALF DOLLARS

Consigned by Mrs. Hazel Clarke, Jamestown, N. Y.

Advanced collectors and specialists would do well to carefully consider the following lots. T. J. Clarke was fastidious condition-wise at a time when several important collections were broken up. Regardless of current catalog valuations many of the commoner pieces are far rarer in choice preservation than is commonly known. This particularly applies to the lowly Bust type and earlier Liberty Seated halves. Unlike their modern counterparts in the Walking Liberty series, these coins are not (and never have been) available in rolls or even smaller quantities. The desirability and potential of these true "classics" cannot be over emphasized.

1192 **1794.** The first year of issue. Haseltine 1; Beistle 1a-Ab. Lustrous, iridescently toned **Uncirculated.** Well centered; mainly bold and sharp. Flat upon the rev. at eagle's breast and high spots on wings as made; adjustment or file marks about the reverse centre, the planchet also filed slightly at the top obv. rim after striking. Late impression from the dies. Obtained from dealer MacAllister at Xmas, 1943, as the "finest known." Ex Newcomb and Col. Green collections. Better than the Beistle plate coins, WGC example, and any other specimens known to us. An extraordinary piece; one of the rarest U.S. Silver coins so fine. **Plate**

1193 1795. H-3; B. 3a-G. **Uncirculated.** Magnificent and prooflike. Lightly toned; free from evidence of rubbing, wear or mishandling. Slight border irregularities ascribed to the boldly formed lettered and ornamented edge. Eagle's breast upon the rev. relatively clear and sharp; some flatness (imperfect striking) at eagle's head, feet, tops of wings and right wing tip. Also from MacAllister; earlier, this coin was lot 1098 in the Cleneay (Chapman) sale, 1890; later was in the Newcomer, Col. Green colls. Rev. illustrated on the Beistle Plate, G. Probably the finest known. **Plate**

1194 1795. H-22; **B. 13-U.** Brilliant **Uncirculated.** Bold, neatly centered, with almost

full original bloom. Reverse with the usual mint adjustment marks; eagle's breast and left leg flat as struck and a trifle rubbed. While this coin shows imperceptible indications of handling upon close examination, it is undoubtedly the finest example extant from the very rare 13-U dies. Ex MacAllister, Col. Green coll. Superior to the Beistle Plate coins. A specimen of this variety in only Very Good condition brought $21. (against a $55. bid) in our 42nd (MANA) sale, Oct. 23, 1953. **Plate**

Extremely Rare "Proof" Strike of the 1796, 15 Star Variety

1195 **1796.** Fifteen Stars. H-1; B. 2a-A. Called a Proof by Mr. Clarke, this splendid impression retains full sharpness except at a few of the regularly found weak spots, i.e. Liberty's forelock, eagle's breast, etc. In spite of the inevitable file marks and several insignificant handling imperfections, this attractively toned beauty should please the most critical. The border defects (as on lot 1193 above and the '97 below) result from the device used to inscribe the edge. One of the five best (Col. Green) examples in existence, out of a total of only 934 coined and less than thirty surviving. Col. E. H. R. Green obtained this piece from the Baltimore collection of Waldo Newcomer; the obverse is illustrated upon the Beistle Plate. Far superior to the DuPont specimen (at $1,300. in 1954) and worthy of a record price. **Plate**

Excessively Rare 1797 Top-Condition Half Dollar

1196 **1797.** H-1; B. 1a-Aa. Shattered dies; reverse of 1796. Just about **Uncirculated.** An excellent mate to the 1796, in matching colors and almost equal preservation, but lacking the proof surface of the last. The obverse stars at r. (and corresponding part of the rev.) weak; tiny nick upon the obv. at ribbon, pin-point nick upon Liberty's throat; eagle's breast and high points of wings and left leg slightly rubbed. However, a superb specimen, second only to the "Farish" Baldenhofer coin bought by friend Art Kagin (now in one of America's finest collections). We know of just three others comparable to this remarkable Clarke piece, one of them being impounded in the Byron Reed collection, now in the Omaha City Library. Ex Ten Eyck (Mehl, 1922) coll., lot 433; Newcomer, Green colls. Should bring as much as the inferior (Very Fine plus) DuPont example, which realized $1,500., Nov. 13, 1954. **Plate**

Though slightly commoner as a date (2,984 coined), the 1797 Half Dollar is many times rarer than the 1796 in Very Fine or better condition. Both years constitute not only rare dates, but very important types, and for that reason choicer specimens have steadily increased in value.

1197 **1801.** Reverse of 1802; twelve arrows. H-2; B. 1-B. Obtained by Mr. Clarke as Unc. (and so marked by him), this coin is better than Ex. Fine. Deeply tarnished, the upper left area of the obverse rubbed with an eraser. A heavy impression, with leftmost (rev.) star touching eagle's wing, unlike any known to Beistle. Can be greatly improved, but even now one of the finest known, and worth a high premium. **Plate**

The rarity of this date can be better appreciated when one realizes that the specimen in the "World's Greatest Collection," sold eleven years ago, was only Poor, and brought $20.00.

1198 **1802.** Only one variety. Strictly Ex. Fine, although labeled "Unc." also. Evenly tarnished; neatly centered, the eagle's head flat upon the reverse. In spite of two obverse rim defects, microscopic obv. handling nicks, and several reverse adjustment marks, a truly nice coin. Ex Newcomer, Col. Green collections; dealer MacAllister. Cost W. C. Newcomer $50. (his No. 1396) some thirty years ago.

1199 1803. Large 3; small stars as in 1802. H-2; B. 2-B. A hair's breadth from full Uncirculated. With a very few infinitesimal obv. surface nicks; a small area upon the rev. (at the right side of shield) not perfectly struck up. Sharp with nice borders; the surface iridescently lustrous. Obverse die crack through top of LIBERTY, a state not mentioned by Beistle. Ex Newcomer, Green colls. Said to be RR. Worth to $75. as a type, even more as a variety.

1200 **1803. Small 3;** large stars on rev. H-4; B. 1-A. Last variety of the year, struck in 1804. Obtained as **Uncirculated;** the reverse flat on high spots. Evenly centered, the rev. border exceptionally bold. Though once cleaned, this iridescently toned coin displays considerable original color. Ex Newcomer, Green via MacAllister (like most of these). Called rare by Beistle; superior to the WGC, Menjou, Davis, DuPont specimens, lacking in the Smith, Baldenhofer sales in any condition. A "sleeper" type, valued to $125. so fine. **Plate**

1201 **1805/4.** H-1; B. 1-B. Extremely Fine. Nicely toned; weakly struck above and below the rev. centre. Few reverse border irregularities or defects. Plain, clear overdate; an excellent type coin. Called "Unc. Gem" by TJC; formerly Newcomer, Green. Rare.

1202 1805. H-11; B. 5-F. Die defects at date and above bust opposite throat. Just about Unc. Few unimportant obv. handling nicks, commonly found upon these coins. Reverse rim break over the final S of STATES. A desirable, mostly lustrous and bold impression, called the "finest known" by Mr. Clarke.

1203 **1806/5.** H-5; B. 10a-Q. About Uncirculated, lightly toned. Eagle's head very flat upon the reverse; some flatness on other rev. high points. Bought as Unc., shows some lustre. Slightly rusted obv. die. Ex Newcomer, Green. Rare in this remarkable preservation.

1204 **1806/9.** H-1; B. 2-B. Erroneous date with 6 cut over inverted 6. Lustrous **Uncirculated,** and in this condition of the most excessive rarity. Forelock flat, almost depressed during striking; end of bust, some stars weak on obverse. Upper part of eagle's l. wing and connecting cloud also weak, rest of reverse strong and bold. Full mint bloom. Reverse rim break over E in UNITED (not STATES as in Beistle's description). Ex Newcomer, Green. Undoubtedly the finest available, if not known. A true classic, which puts the overtouted, overrated 1919 "S" (for instance) to shame. Potentially worth to $250.00. **Plate**

1205 1806. Knobbed 6. H-12; Beistle obv. 13, rev. T. A combination not known to him. Uncirculated; deep golden toning, some lustre. Lower part of bust and top left part of hair very weak owing to die injury; corresponding weakness at clouds below OF on reverse. Obv. die with unmentioned crack through two upper left stars and LIBERTY. Very rare, less than four others seen. Cf. WGC 84, which may have been this variety. Ex Newcomer, Green.

1206 1806. Pointed 6; stem through claw. H-8 (probably); B. 4a-K. Choice Uncirculated. Obverse lightly toned; the reverse mostly brilliant. Fully lustrous; imperceptible flatness upon the reverse high spots. A $50 coin today!

1207 1806. Similar. H-16. Obv. Beistle 3 and H-15; Rev. H-13, not in Beistle. "Gem" Uncirculated. A superb, richly tarnished piece with full, original lustre. Many die cracks obv. and rev. Scarce as a variety; worth a top price in perfect Mint State. Ex Newcomer, Green.

1208 1807. Bust right. H-6; B. 2-C. A magnificent, proof-like "gem." Delicately toned with bold, sharply defined margins. Rarely seen so choice. Ex Newcomer, Green colls. Not a "Proof" by any means, but otherwise a match for DuPont 2044 at $80.00.

1209 1807. Same. H-1; B. 3a-E, early state. Choice Uncirculated. Almost as nice as the last; elegantly toned, splendid, sharply struck milled borders. Beistle did not know of this cracked obverse with rev. E, but it is not a very rare variety. Called "finest known" by TJC; worthy of a generous bid.

1210 1807. Another. From a later state of the same dies. Uncirculated. Lightly toned; weak at eagle's head upon the rev. Ex Newcomer, Green colls.

1211 1807. Large bust left. Reverse with 50 over 20. H-9; B. 10-G. Choice Uncirculated; some iridescent blue and gold tarnish. Evenly struck; highly desirable. Worth every cent of its $40. Guidebook valuation.

This type half dollar was taken from a design by E. Lugio Persico. Common Mint gossip, c. 1868 had it that the fat woman pictured was the designer's mistress. A period after UNUM (of the rev. motto) can be found upon the above: it is only seen on 1807-08 coins, and could be considered a separate type designation.

1212 1808/7. H-1; B. 1b-Aa. Lightly toned Uncirculated. Obverse uniformly bold; eagle's head on the rev. less sharp than other areas, as usual. Shattered dies. From the Col. Green collection. The Davis example brought $27. two years ago.

1213 An exact duplicate. "Gem" Uncirculated; nicely struck up. Exquisitely toned. Ex Newcomer, Green colls.

1214 1808. Perfect date. H-5 (probably); B. 2b-Ba. Attractively toned and tarnished Unc. While careful inspection with a glass will reveal a microscopic nick and scratch upon Liberty's cheek, this bold and clean cut strike is virtually in the "gem" class. Ex Newcomer, Green. A $20. item!

1215 1808. Similar. H-2; B. 6-F. Uncirculated; somewhat tarnished, the obverse discolored. At first glance, the unusually clear and well defined obverse of this piece appears proof-like. We note a few picayune defects, hardly worthy of mention. Obverse perfect, not so described by Beistle. Worth looking at!

1216 1809. H-1; B. 2-B. "Gem" Uncirculated. Splendidly struck and centered. A really choice piece, displaying attractive golden brown toning. Ex Newcomer, Green. Uncommon in this condition; the variety called rare by Haseltine.

The halves from 1809 to 1836 have a smaller head than do the 1807-08 coins. The biggest differences besides size may be seen in the curls above ribbon, above clasp and above the last figure of date.

1217 1810. B. 3-C, not in Haseltine; "G-1" from the A. C. Gies collection, 1940. Superb Unc. With a beautiful steel-gray tone, traces of blue upon the rev. Sharply struck; exceptionally desirable. Cheap at $20. in this preservation.

1218 Duplicate of last. Uncirculated. Full mint bloom; rich obverse toning. A very sharp impression. Ex Newcomer, Green. Mr. Clarke's high regard for quality was responsible for duplicates of this caliber in his collection.

1219 1811. Small 8. H-1; B. 6-G. Choice Unc. Attractively toned and struck. In spite of a hardly visible reverse rim imperfection or so, another lovely coin. Ex Newcomer, Green, via MacAllister, who apparently sold TJC many of these pieces.

1220 1811. Similar. B. 3-D, not in Haseltine. Uncirculated, although not in the same class as the last. Weak at obv. and rev. high points, particularly about eagle's right wing. Few minute reverse abrasion marks. Still, nicer than most. Ex B. M. Mehl.

1221 1811. Another Small 8. The obverse die badly shattered, but a variety not known to Haseltine, Clapp or Beistle. Choice Unc., pale golden toning. Weakly struck at top of eagle's right wing, but entire coin fully lustrous. Also from Mehl. Undoubtedly very rare.

1222 1811. Punctuated date 18.11. H-4; B. 7-J. Mostly brilliant Uncirculated; comparatively sharp. Obv. toned; reverse with traces of tarnish. Liberty, upon this strike, has a clear double profile. Ex Mehl. Exceptional and interesting; valued to $35. so.

1223 1811. Punctuated date as last. A warm gray toned Unc., weak at left upon both sides. Slightly off centre; hardly noticeable flatness upon the high spots. Ex A. C. Gies sale, 1940. Guidebook at $27.50.

1224 1811. Large 8, as found 1812-17. B. 5-F, not in Haseltine. Mostly brilliant Unc. Delicate toning; signs of flatness. Obv. and rev. show almost perfect impressions ("Suction" Marks) on rev. and obv. A "sleeper" type, seldom offered in top condition.

1225 1812. Perfect date; large 8 (as on all perfect date coins). H-2; B. 1a-Aa. Unc., showing some brilliance. Obverse richly toned; traces of flatness upon the high spots. Reverse edge irregularities from lettering process. Records to $15.00.

1226 1812. Similar. Unlisted. New obverse; rev. Beistle C. Superb Uncirculated; lustrous golden brown toning. An exceptional piece, rare as a variety; cleanly and boldly struck. Ex Newcomer, Green. Only three examples seen from this obverse die; worth a premium price.

1227 1813. Uncirculated. Imperfectly struck as often seen. Lilac-gray toning. Worth $15.00.

1228 As last, different dies. Choice Uncirculated, called a "gem" by Mr. Clarke. Beautifully tarnished; "cameo" like, particularly upon the obverse. Another important piece from the Newcomer, Green colls.

We might note here that we find it impossible to identify Haseltine or Beistle numbers for the year 1813.

1229 **1814. Close 50 C.** Possibly B. 2-B, but impossible to tell from Beistle description. "G-1" in A. C. Gies sale, 1940. Uncirculated; deep purple-gray color. On the whole, well struck up.

1230 1814. Close 50 C. H-5; B. 3-C. Mainly brilliant Unc., attractive iridescent and gold tarnish. Obverse sharp, rim flaw above head. Incusations of eagle and scroll on obverse, of cap and bust on rev. Heavy rev. break at right wing. Called "excessively rare" by Haseltine.

1231 1814. **Wide 50 C.** H-2 (probably); B. 4-D. A lilac and lustrous Uncirculated. Not perfect, but definitely nice. Ex Mehl.

1232 1814. Wide 50 C. B. 8c-Hc. Almost entirely brilliant Unc., close to the "gem" category. Nicely tarnished; rev. rim defect. Obv. crack from 14 to curls, and quintuple incusations of wings and scroll on obv., bust and head on rev. Not perfectly struck up at borders.

1233 **1815.** 5 over 2 as always, only one variety. B. 1a-Ac. Uncirculated; attractively tarnished and struck. Unimportant rev. flatness (or cabinet friction) on eagle's head and right wing. Rarely seen so fine. We have handled few equal to this piece, and only two better ones. Ex Newcomer, Green colls. **Plate**

1234 1817/13. Large 8. H-1; later state than known to Beistle, could be called B. 1b-Ab. Choice Unc., toning to steel-gray. Part of bust and eagle's head not well struck up, rest of coin sharp. STATES OF AMERICA incused under date and stars; rev. badly rusted, shows another crack from olive leaves through UNIT. Very popular type with high records.

1235 1817. Close perfect date; small 8. H-4; B. 4-E (should be called 10-E because the obv. not the same as that on B. 4-D). A cleanly struck, evenly centered, iridescent Unc.

1236 1818/17. First 8 large, second 8 small; wide date almost even. H-2; B. 1a-Ab. Toned Unc. Indications of flatness or rubbing, mostly on rev. high spots. A $12.50 coin!

1237 **1818/17.** Small 8's; first 1 extremely far from 8. H-1; B. 2-B. On the surface, a glittering rainbow **Proof.** Features that might raise a question as to the status of this piece include weak sixth and seventh stars, plus the right claw and tops of 50 (upon the rev.) not being bold. On the other hand, the rev. die is polished within the letters of motto and stripes of shield exactly as on other, later proofs (and unlike first-strikes). Probably, a not too carefully made fugitive from an 1818 specimen or presentation set. RRR; not mentioned in the Breen monograph on Proofs.

1238 1818. Date 1 818. H-9; B. 7-G. (Beistle's obv. description is in error: The ninth star, not the eighth, points to center of a segment.) Partly brilliant Unc., light golden toning. The obverse usually sharp. Ex Mehl, as are several of these.

1239 1819/18 Date 1 81 8; small 9. H-2; B. 2-B. (Another die state comes with the 9 larger and not broken down in appearance; present state considered rare by Haseltine.) Cleaned long ago, this piece is not perfect Unc. Lists at $12.50.

1240 1819. Wide perfect date. B. 6-G. TE in STATES connected; last A of AMERICA joined to arrowhead. A beautiful, bluish and golden toned first-strike. Evenly centered; signs of flatness. From the Col. Green coll.

1241 1819. Similar. H-10; B. 14-F. Top of R in rev. motto broken, reads "PLUKIBUS." Uncirculated; mostly lustrous and brilliant, some obv. tarnish. Uniformly struck; interesting.

1242 1820/18. "Over 18" so called; (probably over 19, but an entirely different overdate from the following). H-2; B. 1-A. Lightly toned Unc. Weakly struck on bust and some locks, as well as upon parts of reverse. A real "sleeper" type; the EF DuPont example having brought $20. in 1954. Ex Newcomer, Green.

1243 1820/19. Overdate much more clear, knob of 9 plainly visible in 0; 20 close. H-1; B. 2-B. Toned Unc. Not particularly bold, although evenly struck; the borders strong. In spite of a tiny rev. scratch at stem end, a desirable piece. Called "Sharp Unc. Gem" by TJC. Record in recent auction of $20.00.

1244 **1820.** Extremely **wide, large** perfect **date. The 2** very large, **flat-based and knobbed,** entirely unlike that on the overdates (which is small, curve-based and curled). H-6; B. 3b-C (not so mentioned in Beistle). A superb, neatly toned first-strike, the obverse displaying considerable proof-like lustre. With one or two hardly visible rim or edge defects. Decidedly rare, not often seen; actually an important type coin. Ex Mehl.

1245 **1820. Close, large date. The 2** large, **flat-based and curled.** H-3; B. 6-F. **Brilliant Proof;** iridescently tarnished. A bold impression, each of the stars clearly defined. Reverse handling mark or so about the eagle's head. Possibly a restrike, as the obverse shows traces of rust, and the reverse die appears worn at eagle's claws and arrows. Not mentioned in the Breen monograph; undoubtedly R-8. Ex Deetz coll. **Plate**

1246 Duplicate of the last; a much earlier die state. Lightly toned Uncirculated. Somewhat of a freak strike: traces of denticles at top stars and cap; irregularity at reverse rim, probably from misstriking. Ex Newcomer, Green colls. Underrated (Guidebook at an absurd $9.), having brought $7.50 in the Gies sale, 1940;

$8. in the WGC sale, 1945; $13. in the DuPont sale, 1954. An entirely different type than lot 1244; that type twice as rare as this.

The year 1820 is quite scarce among the 1811-36 halves, being next in rarity to 1815. Only 751,122 pieces were coined, which is about one-quarter as many as the average.

1247 1821. H-6; B. 5-F. Brilliant Unc., the obverse with considerable proof-like lustre. A very rare variety according to Haseltine. One in about equal condition brought $9.75 at the Gies sale in 1940 (the current Guidebook valuation only $8.).

1248 **1822/21.** B. 3-C, not in Haseltine. While not known to Beistle as an overdate, part of numeral 1 shows at r. in angle of second 2. Same variety as "G-1" in the A. C. Gies coll. Choice Unc. Lilac and lavender toning. A uniformly bold impression; the only flaws found (with a glass) being one or two microscopic obv. scratches. An RRR type from the Newcomer, Green colls. Still unpriced in the Guidebook; the finest specimen we have handled. **Plate**

There is one bona fide record of $177.50 for a similar specimen last year.

1249 1822. H-3; apparently B. 12-M. Defective A's in legend. Unc. Partly brilliant; some toning. Tiny obv. tarnish spot and mark. Rev. cracked through NITED STATES MERICA, arrows and 50 C. Ex Mehl.

1250 1823. Wide date; misshapen 3 leaning right. Possibly H-7; similar to B. 9-J (the Beistle descriptions worthless). Magnificent blue and pink "Semi-Proof." Evenly centered, boldly struck. An exceptional coin of much beauty from the A. C. Gies collection dispersed in 1940. Called a "Proof" by Mr. Clarke and others.

1251 1823. Wide perfect date; well formed 3. B. 10-K. Lightly toned Unc., fully lustrous. Struck a little flat; infinitesimal signs of handling. A brilliant '23 brought $19. in the DuPont sale!

1252 1824. Over various dates. H-1; B. 1-A. (Under the 4 are plain traces of a 2 and a 0, and possibly of other figures also. The 182 are from the punches used on the 1821 and the last 1820 halves.) Uncirculated. Lustrous; blue and gold tarnish about periphery. Flat on the obv. curl at rear of cap, slight flatness upon rev. high points. In the conservative 1954-55 Standard Catalog at $20.00. Ex Col. Green.

1253 1824/21. H-10; B. 12-L. Delicately toned, but generally "Uncirculated with full brilliance." Attractively struck, well above average. From B. M. Mehl. V. Scarce so nice.

1254 1824. Perfect date; tall 1. H-13a; Obv. Beistle 5, rev. new. Double profile. "Gem" iridescent Unc., marred only by a hardly discernible rev. rim nick. Ex Col. Green. Far above average; interesting and rare.

1255 As last, but different dies. H-4; B. 8-G. Seventh star almost touches cap; on rev., U D low, ST practically touch. Close 50 C. Choice Unc. With full mint bloom; gold, blue and violet coloring around borders. Ex Newcomer, Green. Cheap at $10. so nice!

1256 1825. B. 11-L, not in Haseltine. 8 low, leaning to r. Partial double profile. Brilliant Unc. A lovely pale honey color with traces of russet. Superb, in spite of minute handling marks upon Liberty's face.

1257 1825. H-7; B. 12-M. Low 1, leaning r. Double struck nose. Toned and tarnished Unc., somewhat flat at the high spots. Ex Newcomer, Green. Called rare by Haseltine.

1258 1826. H-1. 2 in date low. Clearly defined double profile. Described in the Haseltine Type Table as a "Proof." However, while TJC agreed with that description, we will call it a splendid "first-strike." The piece has flat stars, flat bust end, mediocre centering, and STA weakly struck on rev. Even so, a gorgeous toned item, worth a good price. Ex Ira Reed.

1259 1826. Two different varieties. Wide thin (B. 5b-Fb) and heavier close dates (latter H-8). Choice Unc., some toning. Former with die cracked through stars and UNITE. From Green and Gies colls. Worth $15.00. 2 Pcs.

1260 Similar pair to last. One is B. 13-S with larger, heavier 50 C. The other is unidentifiable with smaller 50 C. (as in the preceding lot). Mostly brilliant Unc., the second showing some obv. flatness; both partly tarnished. 2 Pcs.

Rev. S of 1826 is also Rev. A of 1827/26.

1261 **1827/26.** H-2; B. 2-B. Close overdate. Uncirculated; pale blue and gold toning. Unimportant flatness on both obv. and rev. high spots. Ex Newcomer, Green; a MacAllister transaction like so many of these. Rather rare; records to $34.00.

1262 1827. Square-based 2. Obverse, brilliant Proof, stars do not all show centers; rev., choice Unc. A so-called "one-sided Proof" as mentioned in Newcomb's

book on late date cents. In addition, another specimen; same type, different dies. Toned Uncirculated; unimportant rev. flatness. First ex Mehl; last Newcomer, Green colls. 2 Pcs.

While Newcomb mentions "one-sided Proofs" he does not attempt to explain them. The Newcomb sale, 1945, (1835 N-13) and our Ryder sale, 1953, (1831 N-3) had examples of this kind at good prices, and we have seen two or three others among the half dollars and smaller silver.

1263 1827. Last type of the year; large, curled 2 with curved-base, as in 1828. H-11; Obv. Beistle 10, rev. new. Partly brilliant Uncirculated; russet and blue rev. tarnish. Stars and date drawn to the poorly struck borders. A very rare variety.

1264 1828. Type 1. Large date; large, curled 2 with curved-base, as last. H-3; B. 2-C. Uncirculated; particularly flat on obv. high spots. Listed by Haseltine as rare.

1265 1828. Type 4. Small date. Small 8's, square-based 2; large letters on reverse. H-8; unidentifiable with Beistle's descriptions (as is often the case, either with Beistle or Haseltine). Toned Unc., the obverse ordinary.

1266 1829/27. (Also called 1829 over 11 or 21.) Entire date recut, the curve-based 2 over a flat-based one, the 9 over what may have been the 7 punch used on the quarter dollar. Rev. Large 50 C. Small letters as usual. H-2; B. 1-A. Lustrous, lightly toned Unc. Unimportant signs of handling; two or three minor scratches in the upper rev. field. Ex Mehl; better than it sounds.

1267 Similar overdate. Obv. as last; rev. small 50 C. H-1; B. 1-B. Slightly tarnished Unc. Finer than the last, in spite of the faintest indications of rubbing. Ex Newcomer, Green colls.

1268 1829/27. A duplicate B. 1-B. Originally Unc., but has been cleverly buffed in fields to resemble a proof. One or two minor defects; extra sharp and very attractive. This coin brought $31. in the C. H. Deetz sale (1946) as a "Brilliant Proof." Also, 1829. Perfect date; small 50 C. Probably B. 2-C, but rev. also answers description of Beistle's die T. All three A's closed. Abt. Ex. Fine. Ex Newcomer, Green. 2 Pcs.

1269 1829. Perfect date. Large and small 50 C. First H-5; second Obv. Beistle 9, rev. new. Iridescently tarnished Unc., the H-5 rather flat, a few imperfections. Both from the Green coll. Valued to $12.50. 2 Pcs.

1270 1830. Large and small 0's in date. Former from the second obv. Beistle numbered 12 (as in 12-Bb), but a new rev. Second altogether new. Choice, fully lustrous Unc. and iridescently toned Unc., the large 0 superior. Ex Newcomer, Green. 2 Pcs.

1271 Similar pair to last. The large 0 with Beistle's obv. 11; the small 0 unlisted. Mostly brilliant Unc. and nearly so, latter with unusually sharp obv. border and stars. 2 Pcs.

1272 1831. Three different varieties; one with recut date and blunt 1's. That piece brilliant, golden Uncirculated; other two more or less tarnished. One of last ex Newcomer, Green, and B. 7-C, for whatever that information is worth. 3 Pcs.

1273 1832. Small letters. Two semi-Proofs or "first-strikes." First answers most of the description of Beistle 1-A (including the blundered edge); it is from the Newcomer, Green colls., and was probably the coin Beistle used for his description. With considerable proof surface, blue, pink toning; obtained as a Proof by Mr. Clarke. Other with large 1 in date. Cleaned once; unevenly struck. Ex Mehl. Worth a premium! 2 Pcs.

1274 Similar. Two more; one with recut date. Partly brilliant, partly tarnished Unc. The recut date obv. hardly bold. Plus, 1833. Large 50 C. B. 10-H. Beautiful iridescent Unc. Nicely struck. Ex Col. Green, the recut date '32 from Newcomer also. 3 Pcs.

1275 **1832. Large letters.** B. 4-Ga. Obv. same as on recut date in above lot; rev. with heavy die break across eagle's wing. Lightly tarnished Unc., the high spots somewhat flattened. Nick like defect on obv. drapery. Much rarer than cataloged, as over 90% sold as such are actually small letters. Ex Newcomer, Green.

1276 1834. Set of the four major varieties (types) of this date. Large date and letters; large date with small letters; small date and letters, with large and small stars. Toned and tarnished Uncirculated; average strikes. All Col. Green coins via MacAllister. Difficult to locate as a set; valued to $27.50 so. 4 Pcs.

1277 1835. Wide date; large C. in partially recut 50 C. Blue and gold Proof-like impression; two small obv. tarnish spots. Borders weakly cut into die. While undoubtedly intended to be a Proof, this coin does not quite meet our strict standards. From the Stack Gies sale, sixteen years ago.

1278 1835. Duplicate "Proof". From the same dies as last. Toned, a bit dull; microscopic evidence of handling. Also, 1834. Duplicates. L. Date, small letters;

S. Date, letters and stars. Unc., with gold and turquoise tarnish; flat on higher points. First ex Green; last two Newcomer, Green. 3 Pcs.

1279 1836. Lettered edge. Two different varieties; straight and curved top to 5 in 50 C., last with large C. Lustrous, toned Unc. First in particular with flatness on the prominent spots. Second ex Col. Green. 2 Pcs.

1280 Similar; Large C. From the reverse die later used on the 1833-4-5 "close collar" restrikes, struck November, 1836 or after. Engraver's scratch like a thorn on end of stem. Nicely toned "Semi-Proof." Faint indications of contact with other coins. Obtained as a Proof; ex B. G. Johnson. Undoubtedly the last of the lettered edge halves; the first seen by us; second reported. Believed RRR.

1281 **1836.** Lettered edge variety; **reverse 50 over 00 C.** The erroneous zero plainly visible left of 5. Extremely Fine; lustrous and bright. A definite type coin, of considerable importance. Three proofs and six or seven non-proofs now known to us; recent transaction at $95. for a specimen similar to this one.

1282 **1836. Reeded edge.** B. 16-Yb. Choice Unc. Few minute defects. Gobrecht's pattern, A. W. 55, adopted Jan. 18, 1837. Struck in November or December, 1836, on the steam press (both unc. and proof) from the single pair of dies. Lustrous and desirable; records over $75. for equal examples.

1283 1837. Same type. Reeded edge; 50 CENTS on reverse. B. 8-Ca. Select, almost "gem" Uncirculated; beautiful golden lustre. From the Green coll.

1284 1838. HALF DOL. on rev. Toned Unc. Hardly visible traces of handling. Lists at $15.00.

1285 1837, 38. Extremely Fine pair. Above average. Worth about $17.50. 2 Pcs.

1286 1839. Draped bust left. Choice Unc., acquiring a delicate, pink iridescence. In spite of a very few microscopic flaws, a splendid impression.

1287 **1839.** Liberty Seated type. **No drapery from elbow;** small letters in reverse legend, distant from border. B. 7-E. A hair's breadth from full Unc. Weak at eagle's right leg; few adjustment marks before striking. Richly toned; two or three minor defects. Very rare condition.

1288 1839. Similar. Drapery from elbow; reverse like last. B. 5-E. In spite of light, but evident abrasion, brilliant "gem" Uncirculated. The best we have handled; a premium half dollar. DuPont's realized $35. in equal preservation!

1289 Another. Choice Unc. With golden patina; the obv. beginning to acquire the blue tone characterizing many of the coins in this collection. Slightest obverse rubbing; few tiny imperfections.

1290 **1839 "O".** Bust left. Fine to V. Fine. Two obv. rim nicks above head; small rim cut at top of rev. Rare.

1291 **1840. Large letters on rev.,** as in 1838. Lustrous Unc., uniform mint bloom. Flatly struck; two small rev. tarnish spots. Unimportant evidence of handling; hardly visible rev. rim bruise. Rusted obverse die; shattered reverse accounting for the coin's rarity. Only the second we have handled in this remarkable condition. **Plate**

1292 1840 "O". Ex. Fine; rev. slightly scratched under eagle's head. Plus, 1839. Duplicate bust l. Also Ex. Fine, small granular flaw left of date. 2 Pcs.

1293 1842. Large date, reengraved. Abt. Unc. Sharp, with considerable lustre remaining. A $15. item perfect; this one almost so.

1294 1843. Variety with rev. bisecting break (Beistle Rev. F). Tarnished Unc. Hardly a gem; undoubtedly very rare.

1295 **1844 "O". Double cut date;** first date cut high above in the truncation of the base of Liberty, and then recut in present location. B. 3-C. Abt. Ex. Fine. Not listed in either standard reference, this highly valuable type coin is of excessive rarity. Priced to $125.00. Enlarged **Plate**

1296 **1845 "O". Recut date; no drapery from elbow** (for all practical purposes.) B. 1-A. Abt. Uncirculated; lustrous. Called exceedingly rare by Beistle; listed, but not priced in the Guidebook. Fully equal to the Baldenhofer example at $57.50.

1297 1846. **Over horizontal 6.** Strictly Very Good, evenly worn. Rare.

1298 1847 "O". Tarnished Uncirculated. Records to $10.00.

1299 1848 "O". Iridescently toned and tarnished Unc. Evidence of handling. Scarcer than last.

1300 **1852.** Extremely Fine or better. RR date; most of '52 silver melted as worth over face. Valued at $20.00.

1301 1853 and 1853 "O". Arrows at date; rays behind eagle. First Unc., but impaired at the left border and rim upon both sides. The New Orleans coin about EF; pinpoint obv. nick at Liberty's forearm. Acceptable items; should be seen. 2 Pcs.

1302 1854. Arrows. Cleaned and mishandled Unc. Shattered obv. die. Also, 1854 "O". Clearly recut date. From a badly rusted rev. die. Abt. Unc., lustrous. Last interesting, scarce and desirable. 2 Pcs.

1303 1854 "O". Another. Recut 854. Nicely toned Unc. A $10. coin!

1304 1855 "O", 1856 "O". Abt. Unc., brilliant. Second with tiny obv. field defect. 2 Pcs.

1305 1857, 58 and 1858 "O". Ex. Fine to Unc. First with small obv. rim nick. 3 Pcs.

1306 **1858 "S".** Two varieties; large and medium S. Almost Fine, Very Fine. Last rarest of the two. Valued at $25.00. 2 Pcs.

1307 1859, 59 "O" and 1860 "O". Ex. Fine to Uncirculated; last proof-like. Nice impressions. 3 Pcs.

1308 **1859 "S"**, 1860 "S". Both with large mintmark. Fine and Ex. Fine. First scarce; last very bold. A $22.50 pair. 2 Pcs.

1309 1860 "S", 1861 "S". Each with medium size mintmark; second RR so. About Uncirculated; lustrous. Splendid and important opportunity. The regular varieties list at $37.50 perfect. 2 Pcs.

1310 **1861 "O". Cracked CSA Obverse** (B. 5-D). Toned "Semi-Proof." The obverse of this coin struck from the Liberty Seated die used earlier (April, '61) on the four original CSA Pattern halves, with same crack from edge to bridge of nose as seen on the ANS's original (fully authenticated) CSA Proof. Extremely rare; by far the finest we have seen. Absolutely struck by the Confederacy, and so unconditionally guaranteed. Easily worth $100. today; bound to increase greatly in value.

M. L. Beistle, on p. 210, clearly identifies the above lot, calling the variety very rare. In our July, 1954 "Numisma" (Vol. 1, No. 2), we give the full background of the CSA half-dollar and double eagle coinage at the New Orleans mint (from regular U.S. dies). No collection of Confederate numismatic material can be considered well represented without an example of B. 5-D or 5a-Da.

1311 1861 "O" (regular issue), 1861 "S". Large S. Mostly brilliant Unc. and Ex. Fine; both displaying a microscopic abrasion mark or so. Guidebook at $25.50 Unc. 2 Pcs.

1312 1861 "S". Mintmark large. Extremely Fine plus; displaying considerable original lustre. Should command to $15. so.

1313 1862 "S". Large S. Uncirculated. Weak strike; few tarnish spots. The superior DuPont specimen realized $40.00.

1314 Similar. Set of three; large, medium and small mintmarks. First two about Unc. (rare medium S with pinpoint nick in rev. field); last at least RR, close to Ex. Fine. An unusual and choice trio, excellent for the San Francisco mint specialist. 3 Pcs.

1315 Another set: Large and medium S Extremely Fine, the decidedly rare small S Very Fine or better, but with a slight obv. rim bruise. Valuable for display; today worth about $35.00. Will never be cheaper! 3 Pcs.

1316 1863. Splendid, attractively toned Proof. Uncleaned, unsullied. Some 460 proofs struck.

1317 1863 "S" (Small S only), 1864 "S". Also with small mintmark. Uncirculated, or very close to it. A desirable pair; with full mint bloom. Guidebook at $28.50. 2 Pcs.

1318 1864, 1864 "S". Second with the rarer large S. Uncirculated and Abt. Unc., former with unimportant evidence of contact with other coins. 2 Pcs.

1319 1864 "S". Large mintmark. Uncirculated. Not in full brilliance; few minor obv. handling marks. Rather rare.

1320 Similar. Small "S". Mostly brilliant Unc., traces of obv. tarnish dirt. Sharply struck; reverse die badly broken. DuPont record of $25.00.

1321 A third. Atypical smaller, narrow S, unlike any other in the half dollar series. Abt. Unc. The first seen by us; believed RRR.

1322 1865 "S". Regular small S. Cleaned Unc. Very sharp. Also brought $25. in the 1954 DuPont auction.

1323 **1866 "S". Without motto;** last year of type. Fine to Very Fine. Nicely toned; a clean, highly acceptable example of this rarity. Underrated in the Guidebook; only 60,000 coined.

1324 1866 "S". Motto. Very Fine. Also, 1868 "S". Closer to Ex. Fine. Both toned. 2 Pcs.

1325 1868. Iridescent blue Proof. Exactly 600 pieces struck.

1326 1869. Brilliant Proof. Undoubtedly cleaned once, but fully desirable. Scarcer than last.

1327 1871. Heavily toned lilac-gray Proof. Records to $18.50.

1328 1871 "S". Tiny mintmark. Toned Uncirculated. While careful examination with a glass will reveal a few picayune defects, this coin is seldom found so nice. Worth $20.00.

1329 1872 "S". Choice Uncirculated; delicate golden patina. Called "Extremely Rare," an almost equal piece realized $30. in the Nov. 13, 1954 DuPont sale.

1330 1873. Without arrows at date. Magnificently colored turquoise Proof. Just 600 struck.

1331 Similar; **arrows at date.** Mostly brilliant Proof. Private sale records over $85.00. In the greatest demand by type collectors.

1332 **1873 "S".** Arrows. Really small S, close to eagle's tail feather. Uncirculated; splendid blue and gold tarnish. Called "Extremely Rare" AU in the Baldenhofer catalog, this beauty should command top superlatives. Potentially a $100. item!

1333 **1873 "CC".** Arrows. Uncirculated. Heavily tarnished; hardly visible friction upon the high spots. In spite of a microscopic rev. rim nick, probably the finest we have handled. Greatly undervalued in the Guidebook; brought $100. in the DuPont offering, $72.50 in Baldenhofer. **Plate**

1334 1874. Arrows. Lightly toned Uncirculated. Another important "type" coin.

1335 **1874 "S".** Brilliant Uncirculated; some sky-blue and russet tarnish. DuPont's realized a fantastic $80., giving some indication of the real rarity of these coins in perfect preservation.

1336 1875, '75 "S". Uncirculated, some toning. First with obv. rim nick; last with a spot or so of tarnish. 2 Pcs.

1337 1875 "S". Another. "Gem" Unc. Superb iridescence. Worth a premium so!

1338 1876. Both types: Type I, lower berry (in branch held by eagle) split (1866-77); T-II, lower berry pointed, not split (1876-91). Tarnished Unc. and Ex. Fine. Last RR. 2 Pcs.

1339 1876 "S" and 1877 "S". Both T-I; first with small, second with microscopic S. Abt. Unc. and toned Unc., the '76 "S" proof-like. Last RR. 2 Pcs.

1340 1877 "S". Both types, T-I and T-II. First a dull, tarnished Unc. with microscopic mintmark; other similar, the S larger and closer to stem. An excellent pair for comparison; the Type I very rare, as noted above. Presently valued at a conservative $15.00. 2 Pcs.

1341 1877 "CC". Type II. Toned Uncirculated; two or three hardly visible imperfections upon the obv. rim. Oddly enough, the obverse appears to have been struck from a rusted die. Worth $10.00.

Excessively Rare Semi-Proof 1878 San Francisco Mint Half Dollar

1342 **1878 "S".** Minute S, high over F of HALF. A magnificent "first-strike," undoubtedly one of the earliest impressions from the dies. Boldly struck, every star sharp and clear. The remarkable proof-like surface iridescently toned; a tiny rev. tarnish spot at M of AMERICA. While careful study (with a glass) will reveal the slightest evidence of contact with other coins, this beauty merits the title of "gem." Fully equal to the W. C. Atwater specimen sold by B. Max Mehl in 1946, which Mr. Mehl called a "Brilliant Proof." The rarest of the San Francisco Mint halves; one of the rarest Half Dollars from any mint. Only 12,000 struck, compared to a coinage of 847,044 for the touted 1901 "S" (which realized $550. at the 1953 A.N.A. Convention sale in Dallas). An underrated and undervalued item in this splendid preservation, which could and should be worth to $1,000.00. **Plate**

The 1878 "S" Half Dollar was lacking in many important collections offered during the past several years, including the Mehl "Golden Jubilee" (Kern) sale, 1950, Stack's Davis-Graves auction, 1954, and the recent Baldenhofer offering, Nov., 1955. While the Dunham example (1941) was Ex. Fine, the Menjou piece (1950) was only Very Good; F. S. Guggenheimer's (1953) Fine, R. T. McPherson's (also '53) only Good plus, and the so-called "Anderson DuPont" example a mutilated F-VF. Mehl's Neil sale, 1947, did have an Uncirculated specimen with some proof surface, but it showed considerable "cabinet friction" in the obv. field. (The same coin earlier appeared in Mehl's 1945 disposal of the Ryan collection.)

1343 1879. Proof, the reverse toned. While apparently cleaned a great many years ago, still desirable. Some 620 proofs struck. Ex 1946 A.N.A. Convention auction.

1344 Another. Choice Unc., almost superb. A Semi-Proof like the 1878 "S" above. With the regular coinage limited to 4,800, this date will command $25. in a year or two.

1345 1880. Richly tarnished purple Proof. Eagle's head and wing lightly struck, evidently from a weakness in the die. This and the following, except the 1885, up to '86, are also from the 1947 Buffalo sale.

1346 1881. Brilliant steel-blue Proof. Almost fully choice and perfect. Issue of 975 proofs.

1347 1882. Iridescently toned "gem" Proof. Records to $20. for equal examples.

1348 1883. Proof. Deep iridescent tarnish.

1349 1884. Mostly brilliant blue and pink Proof. Mintage of 875 proofs.

1350 1885. Entirely brilliant "Semi-Proof." One of the earlier, regularly struck pieces, cleverly polished. Would deceive almost anyone in the business, as it did Mr. Clarke.

The above lot is a "natural" for the trader with an "India Rubber" conscience, or the unwary collector, who, connects any reflective surface immediately with the term "proof." As carefully explained in our Sept.-Oct., '55 issue of "Numisma," proof denotes a method of manufacture, and not a condition. It is our estimate, that about 25% of the U. S. coins sold as proofs in any given year, are not proofs, have never been, and never will be. Due to primitive mint equipment and inexperienced personnel, many of our earlier proofs (mainly before 1836) are extraordinarily troublesome to identify. However, there should be little difficulty with the pieces struck later, particularly those dated 1855 on.

1351 **1886.** Splendid blue and pink Proof, the reverse showing considerable iridescence. In very strong demand.

1352 **Barber type.** 1892. First year of issue. Tarnished "virgin" Proof.

1353 1894. Brilliant Proof. A beauty, uncleaned and unimpaired. Just 972 proofs struck.

1354 1896. Proof. Almost fully brilliant. V. Scarce; only 762 proofs made.

1355 1901. Mostly brilliant, lightly tarnished Proof. Coinage of 813 proofs. Records to $18.50.

1356 1907. Deeply tarnished steel colored Proof, some iridescence. Only 575 proofs minted; underrated and important.

1357 1907 "O". Choice Unc. Beautiful pink toning. Not struck up, but a highly desirable coin. Guidebook at $12.00.

1358 1908 "O". Brilliant Unc. Die break from 8 in date to bust, extending to last star. Unimportant abrasion mark upon Liberty's cheek.

1359 1908 "D". Uniformly tarnished Unc. Dr. Peake's realized $12.00 at our 46th sale, last June 17th.

1360 1912 "D". Uncirculated. Tarnished like the last; not entirely sharp upon the reverse.

1361 1915 "S". Brilliant Unc., with full mint bloom. In spite of a microscopic surface mark or so, an exceptional example. Listed at $35., valued as high as $65.00.

1362 **Liberty Walking type.** 1916 and 1917. Uncirculated. First dullish, heavily tarnished; last partly brilliant, lightly tarnished, not fully struck up on either side. Guidebook at $26., worth somewhat less. 2 Pcs.

1363 **1917 "S"** (on reverse). Uncirculated; small gouge-like planchet defect at the top obverse border (between E and R of LIBERTY). Lustrous, with golden patina, but hardly bold. Lists at $55., but like the last lot, worth less.

1364 1917 "D" (on obverse). Strictly Ex. Fine; three pin-point obv. rim nicks. A $40. coin Uncirculated!

1365 **1927 "S".** Uncirculated. Weakly struck upon both sides, but with full lustre, some tarnish; faint indications of handling. In the Guidebook at $45.00.

1366 **1928 "S".** Brill. Unc. Very much like the last, although choicer, and in our opinion, entirely desirable. Guidebook at $40.00.

1367 1929 "S". Brilliant, iridescent Unc. Mostly sharp, nice. Sells for $20.00!

1368 1929 "D". Bright, fully lustrous Unc. Slightly weak upon the rev. at eagle's left leg, but a beauty. As scarce as the '29 "S", or nearly so.

1369 1933 "S". Abt. Unc. Bright and clean, with considerable lustre. Supposedly a $35. coin perfect.

1370 1934, 1934 "D". Brilliant Unc. A $10. pair! 2 Pcs.

1371 **1937.** Brilliant **Proof.** Can only go up!

Two Partial and Fifteen Complete Proof Sets, 1890-1912

1372 **1890.** 1¢, 5¢, 10¢, 25¢, 50¢ and $1. Partly brilliant; the Nickel with a reverse tarnish spot. Mtd. in a small tan Raymond card, slides front and back; the dollar attached. Valued at $101.00. 6 Pcs.

1373 **1892.** 1¢, 5¢, 10¢, 25¢ (both T-I and T-II), 50¢ and $1. Almost entirely brilliant, the Cent a deep copper color. Mtd. as last (as are all of these to 1912); extra quarter and dollar attached. Valued to $97.50. 7 Pcs.

1374 Similar set; lacks the commoner T-I Quarter. The two minor coins brilliant; silver coins mainly with steel-blue tarnish. Valued to $85.00. 6 Pcs.

1375 **1893.** 1¢, 5¢, 10¢, 25¢, 50¢ and $1. Partly tarnished; a nice set. Valued to $90.00. 6 Pcs.

1376 **1894.** 1¢, 5¢, 10¢, 25¢, 50¢ and $1. Mostly brilliant, the Cent a richly toned red. Valued to $92.50. 6 Pcs.

1377 **1896.** 1¢, 5¢, 10¢, 25¢, 50¢ and $1. Cent and Nickel brilliant; the silver coins deeply tarnished, and in need of expert cleaning. A scarce and difficult to locate year. Valued to $127.50. 6 Pcs.

1378 **1899.** 1¢, 5¢, 10¢, 25¢, 50¢ and $1. A "virgin" set like all of these, the two minor coins unfortunately tarnish spotted (long ago, by the inferior mint wrappers). Valued to $97.50. 6 Pcs.

1379 **1900.** 1¢, 5¢, 10¢, 25¢, 50¢ and $1. Six "gems," in spite of dark reverse tarnish upon the Cent. Valued to $95.00. 6 Pcs.

1380 **1901.** 1¢, 5¢, 10¢, 25¢, 50¢ and $1. The Dollar brilliant but cleaned, others absolutely superb. Valued to $90.00. 6 Pcs.

1381 **1904.** 1¢, 5¢, 10¢, 25¢, 50¢ and $1. Brilliant, the Cent and Nickel with one or two pin-point tarnish spots. Valued to $107.50. 6 Pcs.

1382 **1905.** 1¢, 5¢, 10¢, 25¢, and 50¢. Bright, glittering "gems," the Cent with dark iridescent tarnish, a microscopic obverse spot. Valued to $62.50. 5 Pcs.

1383 **1906.** 1¢, 5¢, 10¢, 25¢ and 50¢. Some light tarnish; exceptionally desirable Proofs. While undercataloged (like all of these) at $47.50 in the current Guidebook, this particular set has records to $65., and is really worth it. 5 Pcs.

1384 **1907.** 1¢, 5¢, 10¢, 25¢ and 50¢. Fully brilliant, the Cent uniformly toned. To give a comparative idea of the rarity of this year for instance, we might remind bidders that only 575 Silver Proofs were struck in 1907, together with 1475 each of the minor coins. This compares with 51,386 complete sets struck in 1950, or the 57,500 dated 1951. 5 Pcs.

1385 **1908.** 1¢, 5¢, 10¢, 25¢ and 50¢. Brilliant and nice; the Cent deeply tarnished. Rarer than the last; only 545 of each of the Silver Proofs struck. Valued tc $70.00. 5 Pcs.

1386 **1910.** 1¢, 5¢, 10¢, 25¢ and 50¢. Attractively tarnished and highly desirable, the Cent free from the spotting commonly found. Rare Uncirculated, the 1910 Half Dollar is becoming extraordinarily difficult to locate in Proof. Well worth $75.00. 5 Pcs.

1387 1911. 1¢, 5¢, 25¢ and 50¢; the dime lacking. The two silver coins mostly brilliant; a tiny granular defect (upon Liberty's cheek) on the Half Dollar. Both minor pieces tarnished, smudge-like dirt upon the obv. of the Cent. Rare as a year, and comparatively unappreciated. As a partial set, now a $62.50 item! 4 Pcs.

1388 **1912.** 1¢, 5¢, 10¢, 25¢ and 50¢. Three silver pieces brilliant, although iridescently tarnished. Cent streaked; Nickel partially dirty upon the obverse. Last official year for the Five Cents (which can easily be restored). Records to $82.50. 5 Pcs.

1389 **Late Proof Sets.** First year, **1936.** 1¢, 5¢, 10¢, 25¢ and 50¢. The late issue minor coins fully brilliant and unusually choice, while the earlier struck silver pieces display considerable tarnish. Only 3,837 complete sets issued. In the greatest possible demand. 5 Pcs.

1390 **1937.** Similar. Mostly brilliant, the Cent and Nickel extra nice. In the original cellophane envelopes, as are all but the half dollar of the last. Only 5,542 complete sets issued. Rare. 5 Pcs.

1391 1938. Similar. Lightly tarnished Proofs. Some 8,045 complete sets issued. Becoming rare. 5 Pcs.

1392 1939. Similar. Brilliant Proofs. Some 8,795 complete sets issued. V. Scarce. 5 Pcs.

1393 1940. Similar. Almost completely brilliant. Wrapped as obtained from the Mint. Some 11,246 complete sets issued. 5 Pcs.

1394 1941. Similar. Half Dollar with "W" clear. Brilliant Proofs. Mtd. in a sealed, black cardboard holder, slides front and back. Exactly 15,287 complete sets issued. 5 Pcs.

1395 1942. Similar; T-I and T-II Nickels. Brilliant; traces of tarnish upon the Quarter and Half. In the original Mint envelopes. Just 21,120 complete sets issued. 6 Pcs.

1396 **1950.** Similar. Brilliant, glittering Proofs, as received from Philadelphia. Not even scarce, but as popular as any numismatic item today! 5 Pcs.

1397 1951. Similar. Brilliant Proofs. In the original, unopened box of issue. 5 Pcs.

ADDITIONAL CLARKE MATERIAL

Unusual Offering of the 1907 U. S. Coinage

1398 **Cents** and **Nickel Five Cents.** Mostly brilliant Proofs, the Cent iridescent. 2 Pcs.

1399 Another pair. Almost as brilliant; both coins with a touch or so of microscopic obverse tarnish. A limited issue year for minor proofs. Well worth their Guidebook listing at $13.50. 2 Pcs.

1400 **Dimes.** Two iridescent steel Proofs, almost in full brilliancy. Issue limited to a total of 575 coins. Records for this date to $10.50. 2 Pcs.

1401 **Half Dollar.** Tarnished "virgin" Proof. High of $23.50 in Mehl's sale, Nov. 30, '54.

1402 **Quarter Eagles.** Brilliant Proof; infinitesimal abrasion marks. Only 154 Proof Quarter Eagles struck. Guidebook at $40.00.

1403 Another. Choice Unc., with full mint bloom.

1404 **Half Eagles.** Brilliant Unc. Almost completely free from evidence of handling, and rather rare that nice.

1405 Similar; Denver Mint. Uncirculated, fully lustrous. Very much like the last condition-wise, and popular as a "type" so.

1406 **Eagles.** Liberty head design. Bright, brilliant **Proof.** While examination with a glass will reveal tiny indications of contact with other coins (mainly upon the reverse), this piece remains choice, and should be seen. Only 74 Proof Eagles dated 1907 struck.

1407 Similar. Examples from the three Mints; Philadelphia, San Francisco and Denver. Toned Abt. Unc., Extremely Fine and brilliant Unc. Second very scarce, last exceptionally choice and nice. The best that Mr. Clarke could locate. 3 Pcs.

1408 **Indian head design.** Wire edge; **periods** at reverse legends. Choice Unc. The surfaces somewhat dullish, as always found. Only 500 pieces said to have been made. Very rare.

1409 Similar. The regular issue without periods. Almost Perfect; minor nick upon Indian's nose. Popular.

1410 Another. Uncirculated. Slight reverse edge nick or so; unimportant flan defect at bottom reverse rim. A $35. coin, like the last.

1411 **Double Eagles.** Liberty head design. Brilliant, glittering **Proof.** Almost flawless. The last year of the type, and a really thrilling item to own. Only 78 Proof Double Eagles struck.

1412 Similar. Philadelphia and San Francisco Mints. Choice Uncirculated and Ex. Fine. First not fully sharp, but far cleaner than most. 2 Pcs.

1413 Lastly, the Denver Mint coin. Brilliant Unc. As nice as this issue is found; superior to the Dr. Peake example sold in our 46th sale, last June 17th.

The Popular 1907 St. Gaudens Roman Date Double Eagles

1414 **St. Gaudens type.** Date MCMVII. Struck in high relief; high wire-like edge. Uncirculated. The very high obverse wire edge with two obvious nicks; one serious reverse rim nick. Lustrous and desirable.

1415 Another. Just about Uncirculated; slightest rubbing upon the high spots. Minor obverse, serious reverse rim bruises; hardly noticeable rev. nick at fore part of eagle's left wing. An acceptable specimen of this beautiful, impressive coin.

1416 Similar. Struck in high relief; flat edge. Extremely Fine. Clean and attractive, in spite of two tiny rev. nicks towards the end of the eagle's left wing. Scarcer than the two preceding, although hardly as choice.

1417 Modified design; lower relief. Arabic date; also without motto upon reverse. Brilliant Uncirculated. Bright and lustrous, rather flatly struck upon the obverse as nearly always. Almost perfect; minor abrasion mark upon the lower reverse rim. Underrated, even at its current Guidebook valuation of $90.00.

1418 Another. Equally Uncirculated, hardly as bright. Faint indications of handling about the reverse rim. Like the last far superior to the Peake specimen, which was Ex. Fine.

Double Eagles

1419 1851 "O". Strictly Very Fine, the reverse decidedly sharp. Two or three unimportant obverse rim nicks. An uncommon New Orleans date; some 315,000 coined.

1420 **1853 "O".** Light colored gold, although not quite as pale as the last. Extremely Fine. Traces of lustre; evidence of contact with other coins, as invariably found. Really rare, only 71,000 pieces struck. Like the '51 "O", better than the Dr. Peake example. Valued over $150. so fine. **Plate**

1861 New Orleans Mint Double Eagle, believed struck by the Confederacy

1421 **1861 "O".** Atypical alloy and appearance. Extremely Fine, struck from worn dies. One or two microscopic reverse rim nicks. Listed in the 9th edition Guidebook at a conservative $85. Fine; $150. Uncirculated. In our opinion, however, that range does not adequately reflect the coin's real worth, particularly because there are sound reasons for believing that this specimen is one of those struck by the Confederate States of America. **Plate**

Three pairs of $20. dies were shipped to New Orleans from the Philadelphia Mint in December, 1860. The U. S. Government struck some 5,000 double eagles in January, 1861; these, it is logical to expect, would be from new dies and the gold would be of the standard color and quality. The Confederacy took over the Mint at the end of the month, and thereafter issued twenties from the U. S. dies; 9,750 for the State of Louisiana, and 2,991 for the C.S.A. By the time of this final striking, the dies were undoubtedly worn, and any differences in quality of the gold could be most easily ascribed to this period when the rigid U. S. Government control was absent. These features are both found in the coin here offered. Therefore, we believe that this 1861 "O" is one of those issued by the Confederacy, probably around April, 1861, when the final 2,991 specimens were struck. As such, it is of exceptional historical interest.

1422 **1881.** Close to Extremely Fine. Apparently manufactured as a proof, but now showing obvious signs of circulation. Very rare and valuable; a total (including proofs) of only 2,261 made.

1423 **1907. St. Gaudens type.** Date MCMVII. High relief; wire edge. Just about Uncirculated. Lustrous; faint rubbing or "cabinet friction." Certainly superior to lot 1415 above; records (for equal examples) to $150.00.

The wire edge on this coin, as on all the later Roman Numeral twenties, was not intentional, but a result of the collar giving way, unlike that on the eagle with periods.

1424 **1932.** Last year of regular, official issue. Brilliant Uncirculated; unusually nice. Very rare, showing a steadily advancing demand and interest. None, to our knowledge, have been discovered in the careful combing of foreign gold hoards within recent years. Record of $500. for the Dr. Clifford E. Smith specimen, sold May 7, 1955. Ex Ira Reed. **Plate**

Eagles

1425 **1799.** Adams 5. Just about Uncirculated. Flatly struck on face and eleventh star only, the reverse extra sharp. A rim bruise on either side; two or three minor reverse rim nicks. Several small obv. rim breaks. Popular.

1426 **1801.** Adams 1. A shade from full Unc. Lustrous; slightly better and scarcer than last. With a tiny rim nick on either side, plus the usual slight defects.

1427 1839. Type of '38; Large letters upon the reverse. Very Fine or so. Far from common.

Two of our customers still desire a Very Fine or better specimen of the 1839 Eagle with small letters upon the reverse. This coin lists in the current Guidebook at $55. Fine; $100. Unc. We are willing to pay the following prices: VF, $80; EF, $125; AV, $150; Unc. $175.00.

1428 1846. Date small as on Small-date Cents. Abt. Unc., considerable proof-like lustre. Numerous microscopic abrasion marks and nicks. Limited coinage of 20,095 pieces.

1429 1847. Better than VF, almost Ex. Fine. Small obv. nick upon Liberty's cheek.

Extremely Rare 1933 Eagle

1430 **1933.** Last year of issue. Brilliant Uncirculated. Reverse nick or so at top of eagle's left wing; few infinitesimal surface marks. A choice example of a justly famous and prized rarity with two or three recent records approximating $1,000. Dr. Smith, of De Kalb, Ill., purchased the Graves example for $950. (the Price List of the Davis-Graves catalog says $850.) in 1954, and sold the coin, about a year later, for $1,000. The only obtainable U. S. gold coin dated 1933. Of perhaps two dozen known, at least three are in the Smithsonian, and as many in other museums. Ex Ira Reed. **Plate**

Half Eagles

1431 **1795.** Small eagle. Close date. Adams 6. First year of issue. Strictly Ex. Fine. Lightly toned; two or three minute indications of handling. A very popular type coin, now selling around $250.00.

1432 **1798.** Heraldic eagle. Large date; **fourteen stars upon reverse.** Adams 3; shattered rev. Strictly Ex. Fine, but showing "bag handling". A very rare type coin, which will list in the next Standard Catalog at a minimum of $150. Very Fine. It is as much a "type" as the thirteen and fifteen star dollars of 1799. Lacking in such famous and important collections as Cleneay (1890), Winsor (1895), Smith (1906), Wilson (1907), Jewett (1909), Earle (1912), Gregory (1916), Jackman (1918), Jenks (1921), Ten Eyck (1922), among others. **Plate**

1433 1806. Pointed 6; stars 8x5. Ex. Fine plus, but weakly struck from worn dies so that center of devices do not show. Adjustment marks upon obverse. Ex Elder; marked "Unc." by Mr. Clarke.

1434 1807. Head right. Small date; large stars upon reverse. Brilliant Unc. Weakly struck at right wing of eagle; faint adjustment or file marks upon the obverse. Shattered obverse die. Like lot 1432 above, from dealer MacAllister.

The 1807 Head r. Half Eagle also comes with large date and stars, and small date, small stars. These will all be listed in future editions of the Standard Catalog.

1435 1807. Large head l., as on 1808-12. The design of E. Lugio Persico, executed by John Reich. Choice Unc. Adjustment marks upon rev. border; few minor defects. Attractive. Ex Elder.

1436 1808. Perfect date; 5 D. distant. About Unc. Obverse border file marks; some russet tarnish. Desirable. Ex Elder.

1437 1810. Large date; large wide 5 D. Pale greenish gold, evidently with native silver content. Uncirculated. Brilliant, but with traces of the usual handling and adjustment marks. Guidebook at $75.00.

1438 **1813.** New type; larger head (continuing to 1829, in which year the Kneass improvements appeared on the gold coins and half dimes). Lustrous Unc. Now listed to $110.00. Ex Elder.

1439 1834. No motto; plain 4. Also, 1839. Extremely Fine or so. Second hardly common. 2 Pcs.

1440 **1839 "D".** Mintmark between date and bust. Better than Ex. Fine; obverse with the inevitable indications of handling. Only 18,939 reported made. Choice. Ex Bauer coll.

1441 **1841 "C".** Close to Uncirculated; unimportant evidence of contact with other coins. A handsome first-strike on a wide planchet with wire edges. Small mintage of 21,511 pieces. Well above average. Also ex Bauer.

1442 1845. Very Fine or better; slight obv. rim bruise. (Not the variety with heavy recut date, but the commoner one.) Worth $15.00.

1443 1853 "C". Very Fine or better. Tiny rev. rim bruise.

1444 1854 "D". Not quite V. Fine. Scarcer than the last.

1445 **1861 "D".** About Extremely Fine; struck from worn dies. Odd raised border around both sides. The Dahlonega Mint was taken over by the Confederate States on April 8, 1861, after the U. S. had issued a nominal 1,597 half eagles. The CSA almost certainly coined five dollar gold pieces thereafter, as we know they had at least $13,345. in gold bullion on hand and did coin gold dollars. Therefore, the possibility exists that this piece was actually manufactured by the Confederacy. In any case, it is a very superior specimen of an extremely rare mintmark. **Plate**

The amount of wear on the dies (from which the above coin was made) suggests that, like the 1861 "O" Double Eagle offered earlier (lot 1421), the present coin was an emission of the CSA. There were only two half eagle obverses made for 1861 and sent to Dahlonega, which furthers our theory. For additional information see page 200, the 1954-55 Standard Catalog and our "Numisma" for July, 1954 (Vol. 1, No. 2). The latter gives in particular, concrete data re the 1861 "O" Twenties.

1446 1891 "CC". Ex. Fine or better. Lustrous. Popular mintmark.

1447 1892 "CC". A shade closer to Unc. than the last; minute obv. rim nick. Scarce; some 82,968 coined, compared to 208,000 of the '91 "CC".

1448 **1912.** Indian head. Splendid wire-edged sandblast **Proof.** Only 144 struck. Valued to $50.00.

Three Dollar Gold Pieces

1449 1854. First year of issue. Uncirculated, or very close to it. With full mint bloom. Uncommon so nice.

While the above coin has small letters in DOLLARS upon the reverse, all later dates have large letters.

1450 **1854 "O".** Strictly Very Fine; weak strike. Only 24,000 coins struck in 1854 at N. O., and none in any later year although Three Dollar dies were shipped to New Orleans for 1855 and '56. An underrated type item, long unappreciated.

1451 1855. Very Fine; the reverse better.

1452 1856 "S". Small S. Fine to VF; tiny "X" lightly scratched in r. obverse field. Very scarce.

1453 1857. Very Fine or better. Slightest evidence of handling about the rims.

1454 1857 "S". Large S, as always. Very Fine. Limited coinage of 14,000 pieces.

1455 1859. Fine to V. Fine. Uncommon date, only 15,638 minted.

1456 1861. Abt. Uncirculated. Fully lustrous; partial wire edge. Only 6,072 made.

1457 **1864.** Brilliant Unc. Magnificent, gem-like "first strike" delicately mottled with russet. A very rare date, only 2,680 being coined. At least as important as the '64 Quarter Eagle (2,874 minted) which lists to $100. Unc. Far rarer Unc. than Proof. Stickney, Atwater, Menjou and other great collections had only VF or EF examples of this date.

1458 **1865.** Original. Very Fine. Wire edge; unimportant mishandling at the rims. A very rare and popular year; only 1,140 coined, plus 25 proofs. Probably twice as rare as the '65 Gold Dollar of which 3,700 non-proofs were made (and which, paradoxically, brings more).

1459 **1868.** Very Fine to Ex. Fine. Rare; only 4,850 for circulation and 25 proofs struck.

1460 **1871.** Brilliant "Semi-Proof." Only 1,300 regularly coined. A beautiful and valuable specimen, obtained as a Proof by Mr. Clarke.

1461 **1872.** Extremely Fine and bold. Coinage of 2,000 pieces, in addition to 30 proofs.

1462 Duplicate. Not quite Ex. Fine; struck flat upon the obv. curls. Considerable proof-like surface. Minute defect upon the rev. border. Should bring close to $50. today!

1463 1874. About Extremely Fine.

1464 1878. Brilliant Unc. Excellent coin for the denomination or type collector.

1465 **1879.** Very Fine or better. RR; only 3,000 regularly made, plus 30 proofs.

1466 **1881.** Very Fine to EF. Actually a Proof that got into circulation. Only 500 coined (together with 54 proofs), the smallest non-proof issue except for the impossible 1870 "S". A date with a glorious future ahead of it!

1467 1882. Fine or better. Solder mark at top of obv. Only 1,500 minted plus 76 proofs.

1468 **1886.** Extremely Fine plus; proof-like lustre. Coinage of 1,000, along with 142 proofs.

1469 1887. Fully brilliant and bright, just about "gem" Uncirculated. Another low-coinage date; 6,000 struck plus 160 proofs. A true bargain at its Guidebook rating of $50.00.

1470 1888. Brilliant Unc. Like the last, but not a first-strike. Mintage of 5,000 Unc. and 291 proofs. Called a "gem" by TJC, to which we agree.

1471 **1889.** Last year. Brilliant Unc. Only 2,300 pieces regularly struck; 129 proofs. Like the '64 above (lot 1457), from the famous Dr. French coll.

S. H. Chapman, in his D. S. Wilson catalog (1907), observed under lot No. 349, that large numbers of late date Three Dollars were **remelted** at Philadelphia . . . ?!!

Quarter Eagles

1472 1834. No motto. Small and large head types; the second called "Booby Head" by Clapp. Abt. Extremely Fine. Will eventually appear in the Standard Catalog. 2 Pcs. Obverses enlarged on **Plate**

1473 1836. Head of 1835; taller than preceding. Very Fine.

1474 **1839 "O".** Mintmark under bust, as on two following. Head similar; smaller stars. Fully Extremely Fine; slight rev. rim bruise. Reverse die broken at lower left. V. Scarce.

1475 **1839 "C".** Figures 39 heavily recut; both dies cracked across. Very Fine. One or two tiny rim nicks, impaired at the left reverse border. Undoubtedly of considerable rarity.

1476 **1839 "D".** Numeral 3 recut; 9 seemingly over 8 (as on all seen). Very Fine. The obverse exceptionally sharp. Rare; small coinage of 13,674 pieces.

1477 1843. Large date as always. Reverse flan defect at border. In addition, 1851. Very Fine. 2 Pcs.

1478 1843 "D". Small date; large D. Very Fine; two or three minor imperfections.

1479 1849 "D". Extremely Fine. Minute nick at date. Only 10,945 minted.

1480 1852 and 1853. Ex. Fine plus and VF. Second with serious rev. break at lower right; some mishandling on either side. 2 Pcs.

1481 1854 and '54 "O". Extremely Fine average, first with small obv. rim nick. 2 Pcs.

1482 1855 and 1856. Very Fine plus and Ex. Fine. 2 Pcs.
1483 1856 "S". Very Fine or so. Uncommon; just 71,120 made.
1484 1857 "O". Close to VF, like the last. Only 34,000 coined.
1485 1859. Ex. Fine. One or two hardly visible rev. rim nicks. A better date, only 39,444 struck.
1486 1861 and 1873. Ex. Fine and VF plus. 2 Pcs.
1487 **1868.** Impaired Proof. Serious nick upon the reverse edge. RR; only 3,600 plus 25 proofs struck. Comparable to the '65 Gold Dollar in rarity in any condition, but a "sleeper."
1488 **1877.** Ex. Fine, some proof surface. Really small coinage of 1,632, together with some 20 proofs. Very rare.
1489 1878, 78 "S" and 1879. First and last Ex. Fine; mintmark VF. The '79 showing light evidence of rev. handling. 3 Pcs.
1490 **1885.** Extremely Fine, rather proof-like in appearance. Very low mintage of only 800 pieces; 87 proofs. Underrated; RRR.
1491 1886. Brilliant, almost "gem" Unc. Some 4,000 regularly made, plus 88 proofs. A $30. coin!
1492 1887. Abt. Ex. Fine; handled. Proof-like lustre. Just 6,160 non-proofs, 122 proofs made.
1493 1889. Uncirculated. A beautiful first-strike, although not fully struck up. Limited total coinage of 17,648.
1494 1893. Choice Unc. Total issue of 30,106 pieces.
1495 1896. EF, close to Abt. Unc. Few minor abrasion marks. Total mintage of 19,202.
1496 1897 and 1901. Almost Unc., lustrous. First scarce; '01 with two or three microscopic handling defects. 2 Pcs.
1497 1902. Brilliant Uncirculated.
1498 1903. Bright, lustrous Unc. Even nicer than the last.
1499 **1911 "D".** Bela Lyon Pratt's Indian head type. Ex. Fine. Lustrous, and the mintmark clear, but with a few hardly visible obv. scratches and an infinitesimal rim nick or so. Should be seen.
1500 1914 "D" and 1925 "D". Ex. Fine and brilliant Unc. Hardly common. 2 Pcs.

Gold Dollars

1501 1849. First year. Type III. Large head, L on truncation of bust; open wreath. Fine to VF; impaired by two or three tiny obv. border dents, a rev. edge nick. Plus, T-IV. Similar obverse; closed wreath. Very Fine. 2 Pcs.
1502 1849 "O". Open wreath. Ex. Fine and lustrous; slightly flattened at the centre of the obverse. Valued to $15.00.
1503 1851. Just about Uncirculated; fully brilliant.
1504 **1851 "C".** A shade better than Ex. Fine. Unusually bold and sharp; richly toned. Only 41,267 struck; but three pairs of dies sent to Charlotte for this year — evidently Philadelphia realized this was going to be a limited issue. Lists at $42.50 Unc.
1505 1852 and 1854 T-2. First Unc., but mishandled; scratched at the top of the obv., two or three tiny rim nicks, a rev. stain (heat mark). Last Fine plus; nice even wear. 2 Pcs.
1506 1853. Brilliant "gem" Uncirculated. Easily worth $15. so!
1507 1853 "O". Close to EF, but scratched above head and to right; also traces of a gummy deposit upon the obverse. Hardly as bad as it sounds!
1508 1854. T-I. Brilliant, cameo-like Unc., just about perfect. Actually a "sleeper," as are all small-size gold dollars. Another $15. item, potentially worth more.
It is not generally known that the Philadelphia Mint authorities remelted some 8,000,000 small-size gold dollars in 1859-61, and recoined them into various denominations in 1861-62.
1509 1855. Type 2. Extremely Fine. Numeral 8 in date weak as on mintmarked issues.
1510 **1855 "O".** Like the last; considerable mint lustre. Weak 8; large, weakly cut O. Only 55,000 issued, and a valuable type coin. Should bring $35. or so!
1511 1856. Type 3. Slanting 5, as on the half dimes. Unc. An attractive "first-strike".
1512 1857. Extremely Fine.
1513 1859. A shade from full Unc. Lustrous and desirable.
1514 **1859 "D".** Extremely Fine, sharp. Comparatively strong date and D. Weakly struck at top of headdress, and, upon the rev., at 5 of date and lower right part of wreath. Lustrous, although crude in general execution and somewhat doublestruck, the case with so many Dahlonega dollars. Only 4,952 minted. Listed at $110. Unc. in the Guidebook, but in our opinion, unknown absolutely perfect. We think that this piece is as near to Unc. as the issue can be found. **Plate**

1515 1860. Choice Unc. Only 36,668 coined, the lowest Philadelphia Mint issue prior to 1863.

1516 1861. Uncirculated. Few small rev. rim nicks. Unusual, in that ERTY is embossed under date and to right.

1517 1862. Abt. Unc. Cleaned.

1518 **1870.** Brilliant Semi-Proof. Obtained as a Proof by Mr. Clarke. A "gem," in spite of a microscopic rev. rim nick. Easily worth $30.00.

1519 1873. Two different varieties; 3 in date open and closed, the last purchased as a '78. Second with LIBERTY only partly visible upon coronet. Both about Unc., and each with a rev. rim nick. First also with a tiny obv. nick on cheek, the other slightly bent. Interesting. 2 Pcs.

1520 1874. LIBERTY almost completely gone. Brill. Unc. Tiny nick on face, other evidence of handling.

1521 1881. Unc. A lovely first-strike. Scarce date, only 7,620 Unc. and 87 proofs coined.

1522 1884. On the order of the last, but appears to have been poorly cleaned. Smaller coinage of 5,200; 1,006 proofs.

1523 1885. Mostly brilliant Proof. Some 1,105 proofs struck. Records to $25.00.

1524 1886. Like the '85; few insignificant marks from lint remaining in the dies, a Mint problem even today. Coinage of 1,016 proofs.

1525 1887. Brilliant Proof. Few obv. spots; minute rev. field nick. Exactly 1,043 proofs made.

1526 1888. A not quite perfect first-strike. Purchased as a Proof by TJC. Uncirculated, 15,123; proofs, 957. Allegedly on the "Speculators List."

1527 1889. Last year. Gorgeous Semi-Proof. One of the earliest impressions to leave the dies. Also sold as a Proof to Mr. Clarke.

1528 **Silver Commemoratives.** 1893. Isabella Quarter. Iridescently tarnished Unc. Partial wire edge.

1529 Another. Dull Unc., some rev. lustre. Minute indications of handling. Also, 1935. Texas Half Dollar. Unc. Partly tarnished. 2 Pcs.

1530 1900. Lafayette Dollar. Mostly brilliant Unc. Sharply struck, but with one or two rev. rim nicks, an abrasion mark or so. Touches of dark tarnish.

1531 Duplicate. Cleaned Unc. Faint indications of handling, particularly about the obv. rim. Very popular, as are all of these.

1532 **Gold Commemoratives.** 1903. Louisiana Purchase Dollar. Bust of Jefferson. Brilliant Unc. With a trace or so of tarnish.

1533 Another. Abt. Ex. Fine. Unblemished. Should bring close to $15.00.

1534 1903. Similar; bust of McKinley. Brilliant Unc. A perfect match for lot 1532.

1535 Duplicate. A duller Unc. Obverse rim nick; some rev. dirt and tarnish.

1536 **1904. Lewis and Clark Exposition Dollar.** Choice Unc. Lightly toned; microscopic evidence of handling. Rare.

1537 **1905.** Similar. Mostly brilliant Unc. Minor mark in the upper l. reverse field. Rare.

1538 1915 "S". Panama Pacific Exposition Dollar. Brilliant Unc.

1539 Another. Bright Unc., delicately toned.

1540 1916. McKinley Memorial Dollar. Uncirculated; proof-like, mainly upon the reverse.

1541 Duplicate. Choice Unc. Coinage of 9,977 pieces.

1542 1917. Similar. Unc. Lustrous and attractive. Scarcer than last, although at least 10,000 examples struck.

1543 **1922. Grant Memorial Dollar.** Brilliant Unc. Rapidly rising in value.

1544 **Same.** Small **star in** obverse **field.** Choice Unc. Almost an equal number of the last and this variety coined (5,000 and 5,016), but the "Grant Plain" much more difficult to obtain.

1545 1926. Sesquicentennial Quarter Eagle. Brilliant Unc. Few easily removable tarnish specks.

1546 Another. Almost, but not quite equal to the preceding.

So-Called Dollars

1547 1876. U. S. Centennial. Liberty seated, 1776 below, stars and rays above. Around, legend. Rev. in eight lines within wreath; IN COMMEMORATION OF THE HUNDREDTH ANNIVERSARY OF AMERICAN INDEPENDENCE. Around border; BY AUTHORITY OF THE CONGRESS OF THE UNITED STATES 1876. Silver. Kenney 7. Tarnished Proof. High wire edge; weakly struck upon obv., as almost always. Records to $31.00.

1548 (1876.) Struck copy of the 1776 Continental Dollar by Prof. M. W. Dickeson (1813-1882). White Metal. K-15; "Struck Copies," K-2. Brilliant Proof; slightly impaired wire edge. Also, Elder's mule of the Dickeson obverse and the "CONFEDERATION" reverse. Copper, Brass. See R. D. Kenney, "Struck Copies of Early American Coins," page 15. Proofs. Interesting trio. 3 Pcs.

1549 **1876. Nevada Dollar.** Minute Man 1776 and soldier 1876, Liberty Bell between; above, CENTENNIAL on ribbon. Around, legend. Rev. Mining scene; NEVADA above. Around border; MADE FROM NEVADA ORE AT THE INTERNATIONAL EXHIBITION * ALL FOR OUR COUNTRY *. Silver. K-46. Not quite Perfect; deeply tarnished. One of 2,500 specimens struck at the Philadelphia Mint. Rare.

1550 PAN-AMERICAN Dollar 1901, Gilt; LOUISIANA PURCHASE Dollar 1904, Copper; OHIO VALLEY EXPOSITION Dollar 1910, Brass. First K-54, 55 (not mentioned in gilt); K-58; last unknown to Kenney in 1953. Uncirculated, mostly brilliant. Third rather rare. 3 Pcs.

1551 **1909. Henry Hudson Daalder.** Bust three-fourths right; 1609 below. HENDRIK HUDSON. Rev. Ship Half-Moon; MCMIX / 1 DAALDER below. NIEUW AMSTERDAM. Silver. K-71. Abt. Unc. Dull matte surface, as issued. Struck by dealer T. L. Elder. Small H below date upon rev. for Frank C. Higgins, designer; modeled by Roine. Rare.

1552 Similar. Size of Type 3 Gold Dollar, but thicker. Gold. K-73. Condition as last. Very rare. R. H. Burnie's D-1, valued by him at $45.00.

1553 **1920. Wilson Dollar.** Bust of Wilson left. PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES. Rev. Kneeling Justice with scales; left hand upon youngster, who is gathering coins from press. TO COMMEMORATE THE OPENING OF THE MINT. Below, MANILA P.I. and date. Silver. K-180. Choice Unc. Dies by George Morgan of the Philadelphia Mint. Rare and very popular.

1554 Similar. Struck in red copper. K-181. Close to Perfect; unimportant signs of handling. Very scarce.

1555 **Alaska Gold Tokens.** 1909. Alaska Yukon Pacific Exposition. Facing full-length miner with pick; above, ALASKA GOLD; 19 09 divided at centre; below, A.Y.P.E. Rev. Shield within wreath; 1 above, DWT. below. Also, ½ DWT. Unc., or close to it. See Burnie, pp. 70-73; the pair valued by him at $37.50. 2 Pcs.

1556 1862. Facing Eskimo wearing Parka and hood, within circle. Above, ALASKAN GOLD; below, 1862. Rev. Walrus tusk on either side, dog sled below. Within tusks; five stars in semi-circle, 2 / TOO WAH. At l., PAT. 1910; at r., RD. 1910. Ex. Fine; small flan defect in rev. border. Burnie F-1. Called by him "Very rare" and marked $30.00.

UNITED STATES QUARTER DOLLARS

From the Estate of T. James Clarke, Jamestown, N. Y.

1557 **1796.** The first year of issue. Browning 2. The High 6. Superb, iridescently toned **Uncirculated,** almost in the "gem" class. The condition usually cataloged as a "Perfect Proof." An evenly centered, proof-like specimen strike; deep, broad milling. Exceptionally sharp, even upon eagle's head which supposedly (according to Browning), never comes sharp. Faint obverse adjustment marks, light drift marks upon the reverse; both inherent to the coin as made. Tiny, unimportant surface scratch in the r. obverse field. One of the two or three finest we have ever seen or heard of. Ex Mehl's Ten Eyck sale, 1922, lot 507; later in the Newcomer, Green colls. Obtained directly from MacAllister as "the finest known." **Plate**

1558 **1804.** B-1. The Low 4. A hair's breadth from full **Uncirculated.** Not fully bold upon the obverse; weak (as commonly found) upon the reverse at top center stars and clouds above. Minor evidence of handling, obvious only upon the lower l. obverse rim. Small granular spot before UNITED upon the rev. Lustrous and desirable, nicely toned. Marked by Mr. Clarke "one of the two finest." Ex Newcomer, Green. **Plate**

Just 6,738 Quarters were struck in 1804. About three or four specimens (five to stretch a point) are known approximating Mint State. For the last fifteen years, these top examples have brought about $250. In our 33rd sale, April 14, 1951, we sold the Brand, Raymond piece for $252.50. It was described as "barely circulated." As a date, 1804 is much rarer than 1796 in choice preservation, and is grossly under-valued in the Guidebook at $275.

1559 1805. B-2. Numeral 5 in date leaning l. Abt. Uncirculated. Not struck up upon the obverse, particularly at highest relief of Liberty's shoulder; very weak at opposite point upon the rev. Lustrous steel color, the obv. proof-like. Pin-point nick in the l. obverse field; light rev. scratch upon shield. Obverse with R strong and die cracked through last five stars to edge; the rev. die likewise broken. Very late rare state, unknown to Browning (who considered the variety rare). A splendid specimen, the reverse completely free from any suggestion of rubbing or wear. Since an 1805 in the Cleneay sale (S. H. & H. Chapman, 1890) brought $90. when money meant something, the current Guidebook valuation for Unc. ($80.) is meaningless. Ex Newcomer, Green; obtained 12/25/43 via MacAllister.

1560 **1806/5.** B-1. Choice Uncirculated. Fully lustrous; attractive pink, blue and purple toning. Comparatively well struck for this variety, although weak at left upon both sides. In spite of a very few insignificant rim defects, the finest specimen we have seen. Far superior to the Browning Plate coin (as is the last); not to be confused with one or two rubbed EF examples recently offered. Called a "Gem Coin" by TJC; from the '42 ANA Convention sale (Cincinnati). **Plate**

1561 1806. B-2. Defective 1, I and T. Uncirculated. Delicate lilac and steel color. Three unimportant old scratches and a pin-point nick at the top of the obverse. Unlisted cracks in rev. die; from 2 to shield to E, and from final A to shield to O. Superior to the DuPont piece at $80., eighteen months ago. Ex Mehl. **Plate**

1562 **1807.** B-2. Large O and stars. Perfect dies. Fully Unc., but very weakly struck; much of borders not visible. Proof-like lustre; deep iridescent toning. Minute obv. nick at Liberty's ear. A highly unusual coin, really top grade. Ex Newcomer, Green; MacAllister. Unappreciated; valued to $125.00.

The edge on the last is almost plain. This is reminiscent of the famous Low, Granberg-Woodin, Ryder specimen, which we sold twice, once in our 33rd sale, again in the 1952 ANA Convention auction.

1563 1815. Abt. Unc. Particularly flat upon obv. high spots (as made); considerable mint bloom. Obverse rim nick. Bought as Unc. and called "Superb." Ex Newcomer, Green. In the Guidebook at $60. Unc.

1564 **1818/15.** B-1. "Gem" Uncirculated. Beautiful iridescent tarnish. Overdate very plain; reverse cracked as described. A strongly struck, fully lustrous prize! Worth to $100. so, regardless of any catalog valuation. **Plate**

1565 1818. B-4. Uncirculated, some lilac and blue toning. On the main well struck, but hardly bold at the centre of the obverse; the obverse die broken in two places. A very scarce variety, like the overdate.

1566 **1818. B-6.** Fine to Very Fine. Perfect reverse. Extremely rare, one of only two examples known to A. W. Browning; this identical coin illustrated on his Plate III. Ex Col. Green. As a high R-7 or Rarity 8 item, worthy of a generous bid.

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1567 1819. B-3. Small 9, reverse from 1818 punches; 5 in 25 clearly double cut, colon after C. Bought from Mehl's sale of the C. A. Allenburger collection (lot 743) as a "Brilliant Proof." We can not buy this grading, as the surface is frosty in several places (Chapman says from compressed air in striking) and the edge is not like that on an unquestioned proof of the period. Still, an extra sharp, gorgeous strike, worth a good premium.

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1568 **1819. B-4.** Reverse as last. Strictly Fine. Obverse cracked at date and right. An R-7 variety; of extreme rarity and importance.

1569 1820. B-1. Large O, long peak to 1 (as on Cent of the year, N-11). Uncirculated, steel-blue tarnish. Faint drift and adjustment marks; not fully brilliant. This is the Browning Plate coin, and was therefore in either the Browning or Detwiller collections, both later owned by Col. E. H. R. Green.

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1570 1821. B-4. Rev. of 1820 B-2 (not B-3). Uncirculated, although not quite perfect. A few insignificant defects visible under a glass. Some tarnish; considerable proof-like lustre. Scarce so fine.

1571 1822. B-1. Abt. Uncirculated. Nicely centered; not particularly bold. Iridescent steel-blue tarnish; small rev. rim nick. Ex Newcomer, Green as "Superb." The Browning Plate example not appreciably better. Hard to find nice.

1572 1825/3. B-2. Small 5. Superb Unc., in spite of a picayune mark upon the obverse rim. Splendidly centered and struck. The obv. with touches of pale blue and violet, rev. the golden hue of Italian Vermouth. Better than the Browning Plate illustration, and as fine as any we have seen. Ex Mehl.

1573 1825/3. B-3. Same obv. as last, though bought as "1825/24," large 5. "Gem" Uncirculated. Magnificent iridescent blue, lilac and violet tarnish; golden lustre. Apparently the Browning Plate coin. In any event, much scarcer than the last. Should bring $50.00, all things considered. Also from Mehl.

1574 **1828.** B-4. Mostly brilliant **Proof** of the year. Beginnings of pale purplish-gray toning. A few very small granular and/or handling marks do not impair the remarkable beauty of this piece. Very rare both as to variety (R-6) and condition. From the Allenburger collection (lot 842), sold in 1948; earlier, it was in the Cleneay sale (lot 1340). Record of $200. for a Proof Quarter of this date, in the DuPont offering. **Plate**

1575 A duplicate B-4. Extremely Fine. Obverse with a little friction and dirt, rev. much more sharp. Called "Unc. Gem." Ex MacAllister. Really rare variety.

1576 1828. B-3. **25 over 50 C.** Abt. Very Good. Nice even wear. Rare, almost RR in any condition. Valued at $30. Fine.

1577 **1831.** B-5. Large date and letters. Brilliant **Proof.** The finest proof of the variety we have yet encountered. Allenburger coll., lot 872; believed to be lot 694 from the famed Peter Mougey catalog by Elder, 1910. Called "Very rare" and the "Finest known" by TLE. **Plate**

1578 1832. B-1. Lustrous first-strike; somewhat flat on obverse forelock and curls. Small obv. scratch at fifth star; deep rev. scratch at eagle's left wing. Also ex Allenburger. Plus, 1837, B-2. Steel and pink colored "Semi-Proof." Not fully struck up on either side; unimportant indications of handling. From Newcomer, Green; MacAllister, as a "Brilliant Proof." 2 Pcs.

1579 1841. Liberty seated; drapery from elbow. Brilliant Unc. Carefully cleaned, and still choice. Very rare in top preservation, and seldom offered. Auction record of $40., but worth closer to $50.00.

1580 1844. Date re-engraved. A bright first-strike; light, golden patina. Slight signs of contact with other coins. Very scarce date; rare variety.

1581 1850. Gem "Semi-Proof." Superbly toned; blue at the borders, remainder pink and gold. Obtained as a Proof, and actually the nearest thing to it. Valued to $25. so choice!

1582 **1855 "O".** Strictly Fine. Very rare and underrated.

1583 **1855 "S".** Also Fine. Two microscopic obv. rim defects. An important "type." RR.

1584 1857 "S". Good plus. Unusually clean; nothing but nice, even wear. Rare.

1585 1891. Last year of the type. Attractively tarnished Proof, not in full brilliancy. Exactly 600 proofs struck.

1586 1892. Barber design. Type I. Wing free from R in AMERICA on rev. Brilliant Proof, lightly tarnished.

1587 Similar. T-II. Wing partially covers R. "Virgin" Proof, like the last. Some dark tarnish. Scarce.

1588 1892 "O". T-I. Tarnished Unc., not fully bright. Rare.

1589 Similar. T-II. Choice Unc. Not uniformly struck up; golden toning. Worth the Guidebook valuation of $17.50.

1590 1893. A "gem" Proof. Unusually nice.

1591 1894. Exactly like the last. Records to $14. for similar specimens.

1592 **1894 "O".** Oddly "milled" borders. Choice Unc., attractive lilac toning. A splendid example, far superior to the Dr. Peake coin sold by us last June 17th. Estimated to $60. by dealer Kagin.

1593 1894 "S". Brilliant Unc. Never cleaned or "improved." Should bring to $25. so nice.

1594 **1900 "S".** Lightly toned Unc. Boldly struck. DuPont at $40., Kosoff's Levy sale, May last, at $35.00.

1595 1905. Attractive purple Proof. A better date in Proof.

1596 1906 "D" (first year) and 1908 "D". Choice Unc., the first particularly so, in spite of a tiny obv. abrasion mark. Worth $15.00. 2 Pcs.

1597 1907. Brilliant Proof. Limited coinage of 575 pieces. Watch this date!

1598 1908 "O" and 1909 "D". Uncirculated; first with iridescent tarnish, last in almost full brilliancy. Another $15. pair. 2 Pcs.

1599 **1909 "S".** Uncirculated. Some iridescent tarnish; a rather soft strike. The Edgar Levy specimen brought $31. on a $35. estimate, almost a year ago.

1600 1910 "D". Brilliant Unc. Flecks of golden-brown and blue tarnish towards borders. Retails to $10.00.

1601 1913 "D". Choice Unc. Brilliant obverse; toned reverse. Brought $13. in the Levy sale, May 24, 1955.

1602 1914. Mostly brilliant Unc. Popular date.

1603 1914 "D". Bright Unc., traces of tarnish. Full mint bloom. Records to $10. so.

1604 1915. Beautiful, lustrous Unc. Pin-point nick upon Liberty's nose. Scarce, and definitely above average.

1605 1915 "D" and 1916 "D". Brilliant and lightly tarnished Unc., the first with slight signs of obverse handling. Worth $12.50. 2 Pcs.

1606 1917. MacNeil's Standing Liberty design. Both types, I and II. Tarnished Unc., the first iridescent. Sharp as almost always. Guidebook at $14.50. 2 Pcs.

1607 1917 "S". T-I. Mostly brilliant Unc., delicately tarnished. Highly attractive. Easily worth $20.00.

1608 1917 "D". T-I. Unc. Mostly brilliant, uniformly lustrous. Faintest indications of friction. A nice coin, our description ultra conservative.

1609 1917 "S". T-II. Tarnished Unc. Liberty's head and shield, eagle's breast not fully struck up, as commonly found. Fully lustrous however, and acceptable. Guidebook at $30.00.

1610 1918. Partly brilliant Unc., considerable tarnish. Liberty's head bold; date weak. Obv. rim flan defect, one or two other minute imperfections. Extra nice; never cleaned or polished.

1611 **1918 "D".** Mostly brilliant Unc., speckled brown tarnish. Full head, sharply struck date; the shield weak. Also a "virgin" impression; valued to $37.50 so.

1612 1919. Brilliant Unc. Not struck up at major points; small nick on Liberty's exposed thigh. Scarce, like the '18 above.

1613 1920, 1923. Brilliant Unc., the first with highly attractive golden toning. Neither fully sharp, although the last superior in this respect to the '20. 2 Pcs.

1614 **1921.** Rare variety with die break connecting numerals of date. A rather dull, but lustrous Unc., unevenly tarnished. Head partially struck up, the shield and date average. Rare and valuable.

1615 1924, 25 and 1926. Partly tarnished Unc. First and last with mint bloom, but the head and shield on each rather weak. The '25 sharper, but streaked; slightest rubbing upon Liberty's knee. While listing to $22., a good buy at about $15.00. 3 Pcs.

1616 1924 "D", 26 "D" and 1927 "D". First moderately bright, last brilliant "gem" Uncirculated; the '26 "D" badly tarnished and far from choice. All regular strikes, the heads mainly flat. An Uncirculated trio worth about $10.00. 3 Pcs.

1617 1927, 1928. Unc., both partially brilliant with some tarnish. First not as bold as the last. Guidebook at $18.00. 2 Pcs.

1618 1928 "S". Two varieties; comparatively large and small mintmark S. Tarnished and toned Uncirculated; average strikes. First exceptionally desirable. Interesting. 2 Pcs.

1619 1928 "D", 29 and 1929 "S". First and third brilliant, the '28 "D" really choice. Second mostly bright upon the obv., the reverse completely tarnished. Like most of these, not fully struck up (as regularly found). Valued to $15.00. 3 Pcs.

1620 1930 and 1930 "S". Last year. Lightly tarnished and brilliant Unc. Made like the preceding, the Philadelphia coin with a minor obv. nick. Bringing about $10.00. 2 Pcs.

SELECT EARLY DIMES AND HALF DIMES
Also from the T. James Clarke Estate

1621 **Dimes. 1796.** First year of issue. **Breen 3-B;** not in Clapp or WGC. **Obv. K-1, rev. K-5.** Uncirculated. Attractive pale iridescent and gold toning. Reverse with the usual proof-like lustre, also the inevitable file or adjustment marks (at lower right). Obverse uniformly sharp and choice, reverse flat on eagle's breast and legs as commonly found. Partial wire edge on either side. A small weakness on the obv. border is the result of a heavy rim break on the rev., over first T in STATES. According to Breen's forthcoming reference on U.S. Dimes, 1796-1837, **this variety is unique,** the reverse doubtless being promptly discarded on account of the severe break. The collector fortunate enough to acquire this piece will have little cause for worry about depreciation. Ex Dr. French coll. A bargain at any price! **Plate**

1622 **1797. Sixteen stars;** pointed 9. B. 2-A; Clapp 1. Close to, but not quite perfect Unc. Well centered, sharply struck upon the obverse. Nicely toned and unusually choice, in spite of two minor obv. rim defects, one of them a tiny bruise over R of LIBERTY. Called by TJC "Finest Known," although two comparable examples have been noted by us. From the famous collection of Elliott Smith. As a "classic" rarity, this dime could someday command all of $500.00. **Plate**

1623 **1798/7.** Sixteen stars upon reverse. B. 1-A; Clapp 1. Lustrous Uncirculated; dullish, partly iridescent. Somewhat weakly struck at peripheral curls and obverse border; the reverse exceptionally sharp. Rarely seen so choice. This identical piece was lot 570 of Mehl's Ten Eyck sale; later it was also in the Elliott Smith coll. **Plate**

1624 **1807.** Only one variety of this date. From heavily injured dies—weak at borders, stars, UNITED upon the reverse; impression of wreath before face, under chin and over date; small rim break over 10th star. The **edge almost completely plain** (see lot 1562, and accompanying remarks). Strictly Unc., as sharp as possible for such a late impression. Rich, lilac toning. Cf. WGC 452, a coin not as attractive as this one. Rare condition, a very rare die state, and possibly unique with this edge. A lot that definitely should be seen. Ex Dr. French coll. **Plate**

1625 **1809.** Choice Uncirculated. Cleaned long ago upon the obv., the reverse nicely toned. A lustrous, bold beauty; one of the best we have handled, even when a few minute defects (visible under a glass) are considered. A popular date, rare condition. Records to $155., for similar examples. Ex Chapman's 1906 H. P. Smith coll., there listed as lot 911. **Plate**

1626 **1822.** Dull, not quite full Uncirculated. Decidedly sharp and neatly centered, but without full mint bloom, and showing several microscopic granular and other imperfections upon the obv. Bought as Uncirculated in an early Morgenthau sale. The best specimen we have offered in years of this well known rarity. Generally found worn; worth a good price so choice. **Plate**

1627 1823/22. Wide date; small E's as in 1822. Choice Uncirculated; magnificent blue and pink coloring. Sharp, clearly defined and even borders; not fully struck up at the centres. Obv. swell over 2nd and 3rd stars; rim break over 10th star. From the H. P. Smith sale, lot 922. The first and scarcer of the two varieties of this date.

1628 **1837.** Liberty seated. **No Stars**, Large Date. Toned **Proof;** blue, pink and purple iridescence. Partial wire edge; small obv. rim defect at lower right. This is probably one of the proofs from the first press run of this type, June 30, 1837; all seen including the Mint Coll. example are from the same Large Date dies. Very rare. **Plate**

Some 359,500 pieces were coined in '37 with Draped Bust; 682,500 of the Liberty Seated type. One of the first proofs of the latter, made 6/30/37, was sent to the Treasury Dept., commemorating the introduction of the new design on this denomination.

1629 **1839.** Steel and purple **Proof,** some tarnish staining. Imperceptible evidence of handling; granular, dig-like mark in the lower left rev. field. Wire edges. Only one or two other proofs of this date known, making this R-8 as such. Like the last, from Jim MacAllister. Worth a generous bid! **Plate**

1630 1840. Drapery. Uncirculated; delicate blue and pink toning. Greatly undervalued in top preservation. The WGC specimen was only Fine; "DuPont's" a mishandled VF. Worth about $17.50.

1631 **Half Dimes. 1794.** First year of issue. Valentine 4A. Choice **Uncirculated.** Richly toned to various golden and bluish shades. Double struck at date; mint adjustment marks at the l. and bottom rev. border only. Better than the Valentine Plate coins. From the sale of the Elliott Smith coll., lot 520. **Plate**

1632 **1795.** V. 4B. (A die state unknown to Valentine.) Heavy rim break upon obv. at TY and 9th star, many other minor cracks. Obverse double struck. **Uncirculated,** superb; nicely toned. Soft at eagle's breast and left wing top as always (see Valentine Plate). Ex Dr. French coll. Very rare. **Plate**

1633 1795. V. 5B. (Like last, not in Valentine.) Same as V. 5, but obv. die cracked from Y to nose, cheek, bust, 7 and edge. Very Fine, but with a few small pitmarks and other defects; bent and straightened (which is not immediately noticed). Superior to our description; fine for a type set.

Excessively Rare Authentic 1796/5 Half Dime

1634 **1796/5.** V. 2 apparently, although misdescribed and not illustrated by Valentine. Wide date, 7 low; 6 without knob, double punched over a 5, which touches drapery. L I B E R T wide, TY close. Last star almost touches bust. Rev. Laurel has 16 leaves and 4 berries; leaf merges with N. Triple leaf under ITE. Berry under E of UNITED-diagnostic. Cracked from edge through second T of STATES, leaves, eagle, right stem and edge. Strictly **Uncirculated;** mottled iridescence. Slight granular and streaked defects on planchet, visible under a glass. Flatly struck on eagle's legs and cloud. Two rev. rim nicks. With the 1802, possibly the rarest and most famous of half dimes. (Since at least sixteen, and probably closer to thirty 1802's exist, the 1796/5 is probably rarer than '02, as the present coin is one of less than ten we have seen or heard of.) A splendid example, the overdate completely clear and discernible. In our considered opinion, readily worth $500. today! **Plate**

As fully explained in our September-October, 1954 issue of "Numisma," (Vol. 1, No. 4), there are two 1796 half dimes, both sold as the overdate. Only the coin described above is worthy of the name. Valentine's description is incorrect because he never had one. The design of the half dime was actually changed in Oct., 1795, like that of the dollar. However, no call for half dimes came until the following March when these were struck; a 6 being punched over the 5 in the unused obv. die.

1635 **1797. Sixteen stars.** V. 4; obverse die badly injured in field from wreath, the reverse shattered. Superb **Uncirculated;** the centres weak from the condition of the dies. Magnificent, beautifully toned; better than the Valentine Plate coins. We recall only this and the Eliasberg specimen; Newlin did not know this rare variety. Ex Elliott Smith sale, lot 525. **Plate**

1636 **1800.** V. 1A. Bad rim break on obv., under 00 of date. Absolutely **Uncirculated.** Highly attractive, even steel-gray tone, and the finest we have seen. Apparently, the Valentine Plate example. The inferior "Anderson DuPont" piece brought $125., this one worth as much or more. Ex MacAllister. **Plate**

1637 **1800. LIBEKTY.** V. 2. Splendid, "gem" **Uncirculated;** worthy of every superlative in the book. Iridescent blue and pink upon the obv., a blue and pale gold reverse. Almost certainly the finest known, far superior (especially on rev.) to the Eliasberg and Valentine Plate coins. With "double profile" or striking, most plainly visible under chin, drapery, curls, date and stars. The accuracy of one reference can be better surmised, when one considers that a coin of this caliber is listed at $75., and the 1919 "S" Half Dollar (for instance) at $450.00. Ex Jim Kelly, Dayton, Ohio. **Plate**

1638 1829. V. 6. Dark steel-gray Unc. On rev., double stripes in shield (as on 1830-37); the first type of this year (Valentine 2, 3, 7) has triple stripes. Also, 1833. V. 7. Good match for the '29; handsome first-strike. Lastly, 1858. V. 5. Iridescent Unc. Weakly struck as usual; cracks at stars. First and last from the Dr. French coll. 3 Pcs.

1639 **End of the Consignment.** 1875 "S" Twenty Cents; 1846 Tall Date and 1858 "O" Half Dollars; 1904 Morgan Dollar. V. Good, EF (2) and Unc., the '46 half slightly impaired. In addition, an 1877 Trade Dollar. Dull Unc., few small rim nicks. Last valued to $13.50. 5 Pcs.

1640 **Lafayette Dollar.** 1900. Choice Unc., uniform steel-gray tarnish. Few minute obv. abrasion marks; struck flat on horseman's leg as usual. Always popular.

1641 **Trade Dollar Locket.** Purportedly the rare 1873 "S", but the rev. is from the second hub (1875/6-85). Mostly VF; evidently made from two coins. Opened by placing thumb nail between STATES OF at the top reverse border. Photo of unidentified gentleman within. Worth $15. today!

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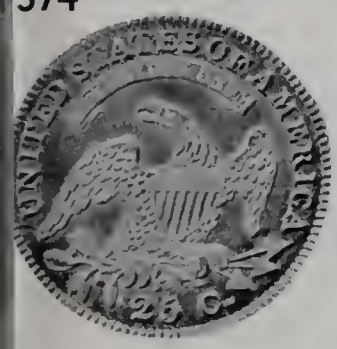

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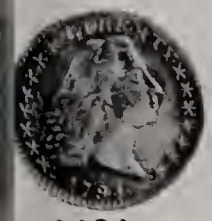
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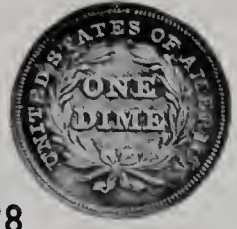

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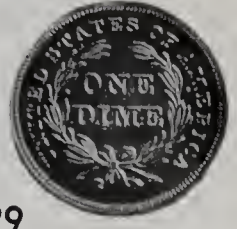

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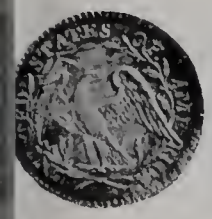

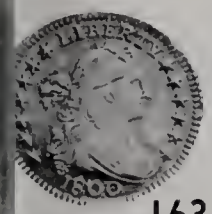
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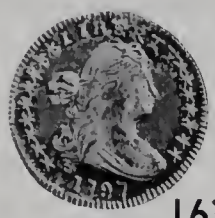

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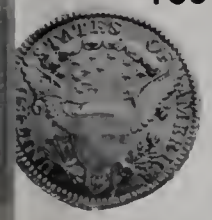

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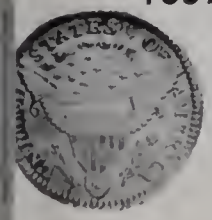

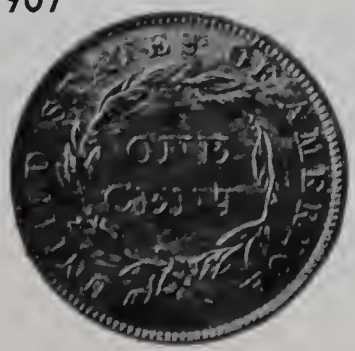

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